## **SPORTS**

Views from ....

### THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz

The Mularz girls closed out their school shopping over the weekend, and even though they didn't agree that they had everything they needed, Daddy's billfold sounded its alarm as it got very light, and we all headed U.S.A. Junior Nationals Basketball teams entered in the annual basketback to the house. I guess I am somewhat of a veteran in school shopping Competition, and came home with a ball extravaganza were introduced now that I have survived three years trying to please a teenage daughter. However, this year was a little scary, as our fourth grader took her time hunting certain labels and trying on jeans to make sure they were "baggy." Maybe next year it will time for Dad to stay at the house and just take a nap while the girls take turns trying to spend as much as they can.

#### HITS AND MISSES IN EARLY AUGUST

\*\*\*The Elba Tigers have opened preseason drills, and I have to admit that even though I have only been to one practice, I think this year's Tigers should be greatly improved over last year's squad that struggled to only two wins. There are only 27 players on the team, but all the players appear to be excited about playing football, and they all have the look of determi- be a member of the team that repre- night, and we won one game Friday nation on their faces as they go through workouts. The '98 Tigers may not be picked in any polls, and may not be given much of a chance to even post a winning record. However, there is something about this bunch that caught my eye, and I have a gut feeling that they are going to surprise some folks

\*\*\*Elba's 27-man roster is certainly not what the coaching staff was hop- Carolina (one). The coach was Gary championship ing for, but the numbers are down all over the area, especially at Zion Chapel and Kinston, where only 18 and 17 players reported for preseason at Lee University, from Cleveland, action, the winning team from drills. Everyone blames the low turnout on the kids and says the kids of Tennessee, and he really did an out- Alabama, Tennessee and North today are spoiled to cars and air conditioning. That may be true, but I think standing job." the ones to blame in many cases are the parents that don't take an active part in their childrens' activities and would rather the kids not do much so they won't be expected to follow them to the games, band concerts, etc. I am not urging any parents to make their kids do something they don't want to do, but I do think some encouragement might help the kids make up their minds in a little different way.

\*\*\*There is an article in the "Sports" this week about Lindsey Jared competing at a national tournament during the summer in Ohio. Not only did Lindsey Jared compete, she helped lead her team to the tournament title and brought home with her a gold medal and tons of experience that will no doubt help her when the high school seasons rolls along later this fall. Jared, a junior, was injured during her freshman season and still wears a heavy knee brace when on the court. However, she never complains about the brace, and always gives one-hundred and ten percent in practice and in the games. Girl's basketball is a new sport at Elba High and struggled throughout the season a year ago, but if the other team members will work hard and dedicate themselves like Lindsey Jared, maybe before long the Lady Tigers will start winning and put their program on the map.

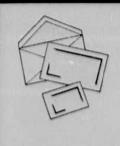
\*\*\*The Major League baseball season is drawing to a close, and while the teams like Atlanta, New York, Houston, San Diego and a few others are making a lot of noise, the most noise is being made about the chase to break the home-run record of Roger Maris. I will admit that I would like to see Mark McGuire break the record; however, I don't think it is going to happen this season, and won't lose a lot of sleep over the chase as the season

\*\*\*In closing....I umpired a softball tournament last weekend, and as the tournament drew to a close, the players were as concerned about missing the pay-per-view wrestling event on that night as they were who was going to win the tournament. As the tournament went to the "if necessary" game it was clear that they would have to tape the second showing of the event, and things settled down. In case you are not a fan of wrestling on the cable networks, the sport is alive and well, and very much as popular as any other

READY OR NOT.... FOOTBALL SEAASON IS ONLY TWO WEEKS AWAY !!!

#### **SPORTS REPORTERS NEEDED**

Part-time sports reporters are needed to help in the weekly coverage of area high school football games during the 1998 season. Reporters are currently needed to provide photographs and game re-caps for New Brockton, Kinston and Zion Chapel. Equipment furnished. Salary includes weekly pay plus travel. To apply, call: Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor 334-897-8201 (night) or leave message at 897-2823. School clubs or organizations welcomed to apply.



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### Elba's Jared leads team to gold medal

Elba Lady Tiger basketball stand- Opening ceremonies for the event out Lindsey Jared spent a week dur- were held at Westland High School, ing the month of July in Ohio at the in Columbus, Ohio, where the 52 gold medal after helping her team to the large crowd on hand. The post an impressive 14-1 record en teams had two three-hour practice route to the '98 tournament champi- sessions, then hit the court as the

Jared, a junior at Elba High the next three days as the teams par-School, was the point-guard for the ticipated in pool play. Lady Tigers last season, and played "We played four games on both point-guard and two-guard at Wednesday, two on Thursday and

was the most exciting week of my the completion of pool play. The life," said Jared. "It was an honor to actual tournament began on Friday sented Alabama at the national and then won three straight games event, and actually the team repre- Saturday to advance to the champisented three states, as there were onship. Sunday we defeated girls on the team from Alabama Wisconsin to finish the tournament Baldwin, the girls basketball coach During pool play and tournament

"Night of Fire" is set for Aug.29 at 1-Way Dragway

The One Way Dragway, located in Cottonwood, has scheduled a spectacular "Night of Fire" on Saturday, August 29, featuring the first competition ever at the track in the Jet car competition.

Jon Simmons will be shooting colorful blazes from his "Southern Flame" Chevy S-10, as those on hand witness his performance on the strip in the world's fastest jet truck. His competitor, Joe "Pepi" Urban, will be leaving the Florida heat to bring his "Showdown" jet dragster and will create hot, beautitrack. Both drivers are highly

over 200 miles per hour. they bring in their 2,000 horsepow-"Dixie Pro Stock Quick 8." favorites such as Johnny Pilcher, many others will be on hand as they make their qualifying runs at 6:00

PM and 7:30 PM. The One Way Dragway will also Pro, Sportsman, Grad Bikes and Junior Dragster divisions. Gates will open at 2:00 on Saturday, August 29, with time trials from 3:30 until 6:00 PM. The actual races get fired up at 7:30.

For additional information call

334-691-4431 or 334-691-4897.

Elba city pool to remain open through Sept.7

The Elba Department of Parks and Recreation has announced that the city swimming pool, located at Hawkins-Williams Park, will remain open on weekends through the Labor Day holiday weekend. The hours of operation during the weekends will be from 12:00 (noon) until 8:00 PM on Saturdays, and from 1:00 until 6:00 PM on Sundays. Admission is \$2 children 12 and under, and \$3 for everyone over 12 years of age. There will be no private parties

during the expanded days of opera-For more information call the Recreation office at 897-6833.

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action was practically non-stop for

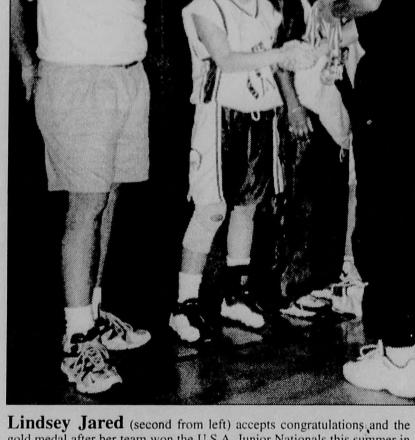
"There is no doubt that July 6-12 "and our team was seeded fifth after (seven), Tennessee (two) and North with a 14-1 record, and take the

> Carolina, claimed wins over Maine/Vermont, Georgia/Louisiana, Kentucky, Wisconsin, Montana, Iowa, Virginia and Michigan. "It was a lot of work, and I was a long way from home," added Jared, "but the experience I gained from being on the tournament team was priceless, and hopefully it will help me this season when high school, ball rolls around. I am definitely a better player now than I was before, and will be much more confident

Jared is the daughter of Mike and

when the season starts."

Debbie Jared, of Elba.



gold medal after her team won the U.S.A. Junior Nationals this summer in Ohio. Jared's team went 14-1 in the national competition.

#### 27 players taking part in drills

#### Coach Sikes pleased with early Elba workouts

even though we drug a little on Sikes, "and that helped during the all times." Friday, it was a morning practice early part of preseason practice. We When asked about the small size Lynn Milner, Keith Baker and and it was really hot and muggy." still have a couple of spots to look at of this year's squad, Coach Sikes in shorts," added Sikes, "and we had chance to prove what they can do. have more players out for football;

more mental work than physical it should turn out okay."

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The Elba Tigers opened their back in good shape, and the efforts include a lot of work on technique, 1998 preseason football camp last of our off-season program was and a lot more work on fundamenskilled racing entertainers and week, and after five days of drills, plainly visible. The first day out in tals," Sikes stated. "The basic offenknow exactly how to spark the eyes Coach David Sikes was pleased pads was dominated by drills and sive and defensive sets were taught of their audience as their speed to with the attitude and work habits of fundamentals with not much hitting. in spring training, and the players However, Friday morning we had a have retained a great deal of what Joining the hot event will be the "The first week really went pretty lot of individual drills and the play- they were taught. Now we have to ever popular Dixie Pro Mods as good," stated Coach Sikes, in his ers got after it pretty hard." work hard to improve every day as second year at the Elba helm. "We "Most of the positions were football players and dedicate ourer door slammers to compete in the had three or four good days, and decided in the spring," said Coach selves to being the best we can be at

"The first three days of drills were and some players that will get a stated "I would obviously like to 24 players for the first day of work, The only glaring spot open is at one however, I feel like we have the and were up to 27 by the end of the of the spots in the offensive line, but ones that have dedicated themselves feature its regular E-T Bracket rac- week. We did a lot of teaching dur- there are two or three players that to being good high school football ing program with entries in Super ing the opening three days, and did are determined to earn the spot, and players, and believe that we have a work. Most of the players reported "The second week of practice will and dedicated to working as hard as it takes to accomplish its goal."

> Trail ride to be held on August

15-16 in Geneva

There will be a trail ride on Saturday and Sunday, August 15-16, at the Geneva State Park Lake. Everyone interested in taking part should bring their mules, horses, wagons and all their necessities, and be ready to head out Saturday morning at 8:30 AM. For more information about the ride call 334-897-6510.

### Childs and Adams take SAS wins

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Mid-Season Championship on Wood.

good lead over the field, only to be Don Huff. and James Mason finished fifth. Spanky Stephens.

Joey Watkins took the lead on lap while Steven Dean placed third Sportsman track record with a qual-15 and held on to win the Sportsman ahead of Bob Holley and David ifying time of 17.56.

Saturday, August 1, at the South Roy Childs led all the way in the cnd, with gates to open at 5:00 PM, Pure Stock feature to take the and racing to begin at 7:00 PM. Watkins started in the #3 spot, but checkered flag. Larry Crutchfield Following is a list of the Top 3 in latched on to the bumper of pole-sit- pressure Childs the entire race, but last week's feature races: ter Gary Davis before diving to the had to settle for second, while SPORTSMAN inside coming out of turn two and Jimmy Johnson placed third, fol- 1 - Joey Watkins (Dothan) making the pass. Watkins built up a lowed in order by J.R. Gulledge and 2 - Freddie Clifford (Montgomery)

slowed when the car became loose. Jimmy White was the night's SUPER STOCK Watkins during the final laps, but ture driver of the night and won the 2 - Howard Penton (Pensacola) was unable to catch the leader and Street Stock feature. White took 3 - Steven Dean (Opp) settled for second. David Lester home an extra \$400 for his efforts, PURE STOCK started in sixth position due to a paralong with the trophy and bragging 1 - Roy Childs (Elba) tial field inversion, only to make up rights! Mikell Rawls placed second 2 - Larry Crutchfield time fast to close in the third posi- in the feature, followed in order by 3 - Jimmy Johnson tion, while Jim Walker placed fourth Brian Martin, Jerome Berry and STREET STOCK In Super Stock action, Tommy Heat winners were Adams (Super 2 - Mikell Rawls (Montgomery)

Adams started on the pole and Stock), Wayne Slawson (Pure 3 - Jerome Berry (Daleville)

cruised to the feature win. Howard Stock), and White and Rawls (Street

Penton took runner-up honors, Stock).Lester equaled Watkins'

3 - David Lester (Montgomery) Freddie Clifford closed in on other big winner as he was the fea- 1 - Tommy Adams (New Brockton)

Action will continue this week-

I - Jimmy White (Montgomery)

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POSSIBLE CONNECTION BETWEEN ESCAPE & ROBBERY

#### Escape & couple's assault under investigation

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

tigating the possible connection of the Elba Police Department.

James Lamar Jackson, age 33, was Both victims were taken to a local filed in the assault/robbery at this missing from the facility. They hospital by Coffee County EMS. time. Nor has the pickup, firearm or noted that he was originally from Mrs. Smith was later transferred to money have been recovered.

Houston County. He had been in the soon. had occurred on Co. Rd. 407. The truck, and a firearm.

The Elba City School Board met

August 18th for the expressed pur-

members to replace a retiring bus

driver and a resigned lunchroom

worker. Jerome Baxley was hired as

a regular school bus driver and

Sherry Moore was hired as a lunch-

room worker in the elementary

The board also accepted the resig-

nation of Audrey Clark as talent

pool instructor. Only recently hired,

she resigned this half-time position

to accept a full-time position with

the Enterprise school system,

according to Superintendent

Following a short executive ses-

report from Superintendent Pearce

and Board Chair Myrna Cowen

sports. According to the heading of

dealing with the assignment of paid softball.

"buy-out" program. It involves Elba out program.

as additional funds become avail- owners.

Charles Pearce.

The Elba Police Department, Packing House Road (Co. Rd. 404) assault/robbery are related since assisted by the 12th Judicial Circuit and is located in the Shiloh they both occurred within a short District Attorney's Office, is inves- Community within the jurisdiction period of time. The escapee was recaptured on

between an escape and assault that Upon arriving at the scene, offi- Monday by the Houston County occurred in Elba early Sunday cers discovered Amos Nathaniel Sheriff's Department and has been "Pete" Smith, 73, and his wife, returned to authorities in Coffee Shortly, before 5 a.m. (approxi- Gertrude, 70, had been assaulted. County. He is being held in the mately 4:45 a.m.) authorities from The couple told officers they had Coffee County Jail charged, at this Elba Work Release alerted the been awaken by someone beating time, only with escape.

years in prison for burglary and isfactory. Mr. Smith was expected Attorney's Office.

Elba City BOE holds special session

pose of hiring two support staff there were paid assistants in varsity action is \$2,250 per year plus bene-

ble to the present year.

sion, the school board released a each other. Head football coach

ning committee has plans to include gram present to assist in answering

other homeowners in the program questions from interested home-

SHOFFNER ADDRESSES ELBA LIONS...Lion Roy Shoffner of

Enterprise spoke to the Elba Lions Club on August 11, 1998. His comments

were about Americanism and what is taking place in America today.

Shoffner issued a challenge to the group - "a challenge of greatness!" He

told the Elba Lions to "Go and demonstrate your citizenship, prove your

patriotism, take an active part - a participating part - in your government.

Make it a truly representative government of the people, by the people and

for the people." Pictured above are (I-r): Lion Charles Eastburn, president

of the Elba Lions Club; Lion Roy Shoffner, past District Governor; and

Lion Richard Patterson, program chairman.

Barnes) and the head coach for

girl's basketball (Leroy Carnley)

David Sikes served as the volunteer

assistant coach for the varsity girl's

With the release of the report,

dirt road connects the Kinston Police are looking into the possi-Highway (AL Hwy. 189) with the bility that both the escape and

Items reported taken in the 1993 Maroon/Tan Chevrolet pick-At approximately 5:00 a.m., assault/robbery were: an undis- up truck should call the Elba Police police received a call that a burglary closed amount of money, a pickup Department at 897-2555 or

the report, it was prepared at the Title IX regulations, assistants in

request of board members Daniel the boy's varsity baseball, girl's var-

Stephens and Dr. Lance Dyess. sity softball and girl's varsity bas-

The report covered the 1997-98 ketball be funded, effective immedi-

school year (last year) and indicated ately. The estimated cost of this

boys football, varsity boys basket- fits. The funds will come out of

ball and varsity girls volleyball. locally generated funds, as there are

There were no paid assistants in no state or federal dollars to fund

basketball and varsity girl's softball. The board voted unanimously to

teer assistant coaches, but not paid At the close of the meeting Pearce

assistants as required by federal reported that the predicted enrolle-

Title IX regulations. Pearce indicatment he had announced at the last

ed the same situations are applica- board meeting was lower than the

According to the report, the head Tuesday of this week is 1,072 for

Each of the latter three had volun- accept the recommendation.

varsity boy's baseball, varsity girl's these positions.

coach for girl's volleyball (Susan the total system.

Houston County and the appropriate Flowers Hospital in Dothan where The incident remains under invesshe was listed in guarded condition. tigation by the Elba Police Jackson was sentenced to 10 Her condition was later listed as sat- Department and the District theft of property that occurred in to be dismissed from the hospital Anyone having knowledge about

this crime or the whereabouts of the Crimestoppers at 897-3881.

**Buford Street...Looking west behind First Baptist Church** Severe thunderstorm overwhelms Elba's

downtown storm drainage system A severe thunderstorm with area and the Mulberry Heights area least improve, the drainage problem heavy rains and sharp lightning became impassable while traffic in the downtown area as well as

For a brief time, high winds also Road, between U.S. Hwy. 84 and of The Elba Clipper that show sev-

house located on Smith Avenue. over the roadway. flowing, the heavy rains were too lakes.

much. All of the drains (the ones Dorsey Trailers sent second shift There was one good thing - no that were completely open) were employees home due to the water one was hurt during the bad weathtaking all the water they could han- being in the shop area. dle and that wasn't good enough! City officials are looking into Elba.

moved through Elba last Friday was slowed to a crawl on others. areas in the Mulberry Heights than an hour) several inches of rain became inundated by the run-off There are several pictures (as

accompanied the heavy rains caus- the airport, was closed for a brief eral areas where the heavy downing one large tree to topple on a time because water was flowing pour created small lakes. There were some others, but the photogra-Despite a valiant effort by crews Yards all over town looked like pher could not be everywhere, and from the City of Elba Street small ponds and some, according to besides, the water went down quick-Department to keep drains open and home owners, looked like large ly in several of the places when the

er which came at a busy time for

### had a verbal agreement to assist McGlothren & Carter trials continued due to motions

Several streets in the downtown what can be done to alleviate, or at

assistant coaches for all varsity

assistant coaches for all varsity

Pearce gave board members a rec
ed incidents were set for this week; venue for the trial. ommendation that to comply with however, that was not to be.

actual attendance, which as of

Flood buy-out program meeting There will be a meeting in Elba able or first chance homeowners Mrs. McGlothren is charged with well.

next Tuesday relating to the flood choose not to participate in the buy- allegedly stealing more than Carter, a former Court Specialist I citizens who have suffered flood The meeting will begin at 6:00 bookkeeper in the Coffee County Enterprise, is charged with allegedly damage. Phase 1 of the Hazard p.m. and will be held at the tempo- Commission office. She was arrest- stealing more than \$2,800.00 in pub-Mitigation program will target rary city hall in the old Reserve ed on April 16 after being indicted lic funds. homeowners who have suffered Center on Claxton Avenue. There by a grand jury. The accused has She remains free on a \$2,000 flood damage three or more times, will be representatives of the state been and is free on a \$10,000.00 appearance bond. but others may also attend this agencies responsible for adminis- appearance bond. informational meeting. The plan- trating the grant funds of these pro-

No trial date has been set, but

Both of the thefts took place in

workers will be needed for the first ence.

### Area Happenings

REMINDER TO EHS SENIORS' PARENTS The parents of Elba High School seniors are reminded that graduation ads for the 1999 Elbala are due by August 31. For more information, contact Julie Norris at Elba High School @ 897-2266.

FUNDRAISER FOR YOUTH A Boston Butt Benefit has been organized to raise funds for the Josh Prettyman Fund. Tickets can be purchased at any local merchant in Elba or by calling 493-9059. The tickets are \$15. Windham Lumber Company will be the pick-up point on August 22 between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Prettyman, 17, was seriously injured in an automobile accident on July 9, 1998.

**COMMISSION MEETING** The Coffee County Commission will hold its bi-monthly meeting Monday, August 24, 1998, at 6:30 p.m. in the ommunity Room located in the County Complex in New Brockton, AL.

SENATOR SHELBY TO VISIT U. S. Senator Richard C. Shelby (R-Ala,) will address residents of Coffee County and members of the Elba and Enterprise Chambers of Commerce at an open, county-wide meeting and dutch breakfast on Wednesday, August 26, 1998 at 7:30 a.m. at the Cutts Restaurant located at 417 East Lee Street in Enterprise.

HRDC FACILITY OPEN Mary Phillips, director of HRDC, stated that the facility will be open every day from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for senor citizens to come in from the heat (if they don't have air condition ing). The facility is located at 127 Factory Street in Elba. Refreshment will be served. For more information call 897-2667.

The trials for the two women Judge Head will schedule a date to January of this year. The women's Also, a fine of up to \$10,000,00 accused of stealing public funds hear a motion by McGlothren's arrests came after an extensive could be imposed on each of the from Coffee County in two unrelat- attorney, Joe Sawyer, for a change of investigation by the District women. Attorney's office assisted by the In a June meeting, the Coffee A motion to continue the case of Examiners of Public Accounts. County Commission, for which

The case of Susan Enfinger Frances Elizabeth Carter, 39, of The crime which McGlothren and McGlothren worked, unanimously McGlothren, 38, of Enterprise was Samson was also made by her attor- Carter are charged with is a Class B passed a resolution asking the continued by Circuit Judge Thomas ney, Paul Young. Judge Head was to felony and with conviction, carries a District Attorney to proceed with the make a ruling on that motion as prison sentence of not less than two prosecution of the accused to the full years and not more than twenty. extent of the law.

#### \$71,000.00 while working as a in the Circuit Clerk's office in Small army of census workers to be employed for Census 2000

major activity in ramp-up to Census Those persons hired will have a 2000. About 90 jobs will be avail- paid training period. able locally, mostly in rural commu- Also required is a Civil Service nities in Coffee County. The U.S. Census will hire 30,000 tered each Thursday at 1 p.m. at the temporary, part-time workers in State Employment Office located

leading up to Census 2000. block by block, recording the loca- ety of Census jobs - reading, math, tions and addresses of living quar- following instructions and mapters in rural and suburban area. Next reading.

complied, and in 2000 census work- 7733. ers will make personal contact with those who did not return their census information.

Hourly wages will start at \$7.00 per hour, plus approved expenses, such as 31 cents per mile. Job requirements include U. S. citizenship and access to a reliable vehicle. All applicants must be at least 18 years of age or have earned General Education Development (GED) degree and be at least 16. Legal non-residents will be accepted in areas where not enough citizens apply. Military veterans

A small army of temporary by law, will be given hiring prefer-

test. These tests will be adminis-

communities across the nation on Boll Weevil Circle in Enterprise. between August and the end of this A government application must be year to compile lists of where peo- filled out prior to taking the exam. ple live or might live. The address The test, which consists of 28 listing is the first major activity multiple choice questions, will measure an individual's skills and This year the "listers" will go abilities required to perform a vari-

year they will concentrate on urban More information on these jobs, as well as applications, are available The actual census forms will be through the Census Bureau's tollmailed in 1999 to all the addresses free recruiting number, 1-888-325-

NOTICE

All services (tag buying, driver license renewal, deed & morgage recording, etc.) offered by the Probate Judge's Office in the Elba Courthouse prior to the '98 Flood are once again available.



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## OPINION

### BRAINSTORMS

Several nights ago we heard the police scanner calling volunteer firemen to a fire at Clements Furniture, in downtown Elba. We were heading home to some good supper, but called to tell Heddy to keep our plate of groceries hot and why. We got to the scene to see the buildings filled with smoke and expected to see windows breaking and flames shooting out at any time. It didn't happen! When Jesse Clements got to the store, he explained that they had set off some bug bombs at closing and this was what everyone was seeing. That news gave everyone reason to breath a sigh of relief. Before leaving this bit of news, we offer our thanks to the person or persons who first noticed this scary situation. Next time it could well be a real fire and quick reaction could save a business and a lot more of Elba.

Tuesday morning we read Slick Willie's four minute speech from Monday night. While there were no surprises in it, we sit here aggravated. Personally we would rather he stuck with his original finger shaking answer than the one given to the nation on TV Monday night. If his address to the country had been from his heart rather than from his lawyer, it would have sounded far better, but that was not to be. Then, reports are that Clinton took the 5th amendments on some of the grand jury questions. That will probably result in more questions. We also think the attack on the independent counsel was out of place because it was apparently directly due of Bill Clinton's stonewalling that the investigation has continued so long. Now, that being said, we are ready to stop talking about the whole mess.

We saw a copy of a letter from Choctawhatchee, Pea and Yellow Rivers Watershed Management Authority to the Corp of Engineers confirming the contract to complete the necessary topographic surveys for the planned work on on the Elba levee. We understand the way it is set up, the Corp will get the surveys in sections and can start their planning sooner than if waiting for the full plans. We also have verbal reports that the company doing the levee surveys have agreed to cut the time needed to complete these measurements. All this means Elba should get the major levee project a bit quicker that earlier promised. In fact, a Corp engineer told us this would be a "fast track" project and would be done faster than any other major project they have ever handled.

The heavy rains of last Friday had more than one person worried. Several called our office and the police scanner revealed city employees were regularly being dispatched to check the river levels. Of course the rain falling on Elba would cause only slight rises in the river here, but that falling on Elba streets couldn't get away, because of limits on the drainage system. One city official told us plans are underway this week to do some more cleaning of the drainage system, thus helping

It will be interesting to watch what happens in Birmingham in the next few months as Mayor Richard Arrington pushes his plan to sell the Birmingham water system to private interest. He claims the move will generate \$200 million for school improvements. There is no mention of what he plans for the other \$200 million expected from the sale. It could RIFECTIN BOARD end up like the deal in Baldwin County where some big cash payouts reportedly went to public officials serving as directors of a cable TV firm sold to private interests.

Elba residents who are interested in the buy-out program for flood victims are invited to attend the public meeting next Tuesday night at city hall.

#### CARD OF THANKS

FLOWERS FAMILY

We would like to express our sin- God bless each of you. cere appreciation for all the love THE CHILDREN OF and support extended to us during JOHN & JOYCE FLOWERS the sickness and death of our par- 8-20pd

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#### Elba Police Report August 10 Thru August 16, 1998

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 -

Stoudemire Street (9:07 p.m.);

Possible prowler reported on Cedar

National Security

Results for the three months and

six months ended June 30, 1998

and 1997, based on generally

accepted accounting principles,

were recently reported as follows:

Three Months Ended June 30

& 6 months

1998, investigated the following (5:56 p.m.). incidents: one public intoxication, two burglaries, two harassments, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12 one vehicle damage, one disorderly Wreck reported on U.S. Hwy. 84E conduct, one criminal mischief, one (9:17 a.m.); Alarm at Weeks' Tire failure to appear, one reckless Company (6:48 p.m.). endangerment, one DUI, and one

The following arrests were made: Rescue run to a residence on one for public intoxication, one for Williams Street (2:22 a.m.); River tampering, one for theft of service, stage - 3.48 feet (6:05 a.m.); Coffee two for criminal mischief, two for County EMS dispatched to property, one for disorderly con- p.m.). duct, two for resisting arrest, one lia, one for assault, and one for Ace Hardware (12:10 a.m.); Coffee coverage and keep it."

and one for no driver's license. (8:44 p.m.). Daily activity highlights for the

week were as follows: MONDAY, AUGUST 10 - River Rescue run to Elba Villas (2:00 stage - 4.31 feet (6:17 a.m.); Alarm a.m.); River stage - 4.35 feet (6:30 at Ace Hardware (8:13 p.m.); Fight a.m.); Disturbance reported at Pizza reported at Burch's Trailer Court Hut (12:22 p.m.); Shots fired on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11 - River Lane Drive (11:51 p.m.). stage - 4.40 (6:28 a.m.); Fire department dispatched to a vehicle fire on SUNDAY, AUGUST 16 - River U.S. Hwy. 84W (10:14 a.m.); Alarm stage - none recorded; Prowler at a residence on Old Curtis Road reported in the Shiloh Community (12:23 p.m.); Minor wreck reported (Kinston Hwy.); Coffee County Elba General Hospital had the Hodge. Coffee County EMS dispatched to

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waters and storm surge. "Buying flood insurance is one of \$500,000 for contents. the most important things anyone There are two important excepfailure to appear, one for theft of Brunson's Trailer Court (11:45 from a flood disaster," FEMA First, there is no waiting period folfor possession of drug parapherna- FRIDAY, AUGUST 14 - Alarm at to make sure more people have this connection with making, increas-

County EMS made a medical trans- The National Flood Insurance gage or construction loan; the poli-Traffic citations issued during the fer from Elba General Hospital to Program (NFIP), administered by cy will become effective upon loan week were as follows: one for DUI, Southeast Alabama Medical Center FEMA, makes federally-backed closing. one for no tag, ten for speeding, two (12:28 a.m.); Disturbance reported flood insurance available in comfor driving without a driver's on Reynolds Street (4:10 a.m.); munities that adopt and enforce period if the initial purchase occurs license, one for no brake lights, one River stage - 3.99 feet (6:21 a.m.); floodplain management ordinances during the 13-month period followfor driving while driver's license River Stage - 5.45 feet 4:40 p.m.); to reduce future flood damage. ing the revision or updating of a

Emergency Management Deputy 12:01 a.m. the day after purchase. insurance agents. "Standard homeowner's or busi- Management Agency.

ness insurance policies do not cover

With hurricane season officially flood losses," Wilkins said. "Home The Elba Police Department, Kendrick Apartments (5:20 p.m.); in, the Federal Emergency insurance coverage must be purbeginning Monday, August 10, Alarm at Weeks' Tire Company Management Agency (FEMA), the chased separately and you must Alabama Emergency Management keep in mind that there is a 30-day Agency, and the Coffee County waiting period before a new flood

four thefts of property, two assaults, River stage - 3.55 feet (6:05 a.m.); encourage renters and property For a single-family home, the owners - especially those in the maximum coverage amounts are Gulf Coast area - to purchase flood \$250,000 for the structure and insurance policies now to provide \$100,000 for its contents. financial protection from flood Maximum coverages for businesses are \$500,000 for buildings and

> can do to help themselves recover tions to the 30-day waiting period. Director James Lee Witt said. lowing the initial purchase of flood "Recent changes in the law allow us insurance when that purchase is in ing, extending, or renewing a mort-

are revoked, one for improper tag, Prowler reported on Forest Avenue "Coffee County is a participant in flood insurance rate map; in this the NFIP." Coffee County case, the policy will go into effect at Director Terry Wilkins said. Flood For more information concerning insurance may be purchased from flood insurance, residents may con-

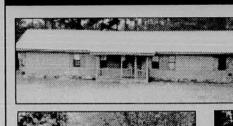
#### **ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT** August 11 thru August 17, 1998

Hooks, Jason Mitchell, John Marshall, and Rita Sondergard. Nelson, Rita Sondergard, and Noah

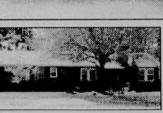
at the Post Office (1:32 p.m.); EMS dispatched to Co. Rd. 407 in following patients admitted during Persons discharged during the Wreck reported at Kleinert's (4:10 Shiloh Community (Kinston Hwy.) the time period of August 11, 1998 same time period were: Daniel p.m.); Rescue squad dispatched to (5:28 a.m.); Rescue run to a resi-through August 17, 1998. They McDonald, John Jackson, James wreck at Kleinert's (4:15 p.m.); dence on Sollie Drive (9:17 p.m.). were: Viola Flowers, Destiny Jones, Roy Stanford, Destiny Patterson, Etta Mae Griswold, Mary Patterson, Rosa Coon, Mary Senn, Senn, Roy Stanford, Bertha Bertha Coleman, Aubretta Coleman, Alanna Hill, Wanda Williams, Etta Mae Griswold, Messick, Cecil Parker, Hozie Wanda Messick, Hozie Owens, Ola reports on last 3 Owens, Ola Mae Stallings, Aubretta Mae Stallings, Kasey Manning, Williams, Jacqueline Luckett, Bonnie Thomason, Cecil Parker, Madie Kelley, Dorothy Hagler, Patty Daniels, Dorothy Hagler, Kevin Lunsford, Gwendolyn Charles Hudson, Sarah Littleton, Rayborn, Patty Daniels, Sarah Ida Mae Hooks, Gwendolyn Littleton, Henry Chestnut, Rayford Rayborn, Marian Brooks, Henry Hodge, Gladys Marshall, Ida Mae Chestnut, Jason Mitchell, Gladys

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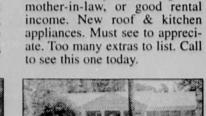


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## Letter To The Editor

THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1998

Dear Editor. On July 18, during a "senior lapse" write to me at: of memory" I had a grease fire in James White, my kitchen. My husband was in the P.O. Box 1082,

far end of the garden when I yelled Talladega, AL 35161. for him, and he ran in and grabbed the pan of grease and threw it out- Dear Ferrin, call the fire department. the stove. Finding the phone on the and/or meet parents. end of the counter. I ran outside and I must say this was the worst dis-

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nies in your coverage area. I am compiling a book on Alabama. Alabama Coke bottles and would Sincerely, appreciate any information that CHARLES PEARCE

your readers could furnish me with. Superintendent

Coca-Cola Bottling companies in us have a safe exit from school.

Please call me at 256/362-9614 or

side, at the same time telling me to On Friday, Aug. 14, a severe lightning-and-thunderstorm I had to grope through the smoke, occurred at exactly the time we diswhich by this time filled the house miss school, causing a delay in from the burning microwave above releasing students to load buses

called 911, then called my sons and play of intense lightning I have my neighbors who ran to my house observed from our perch atop the with a fire extinguisher, put out the hill overlooking the schools. The flame of the melting microwave lightning was striking trees in the above the stove, and turned off the woods directly behind the elemenpower to the stove, because the eye tary school where our buses load was still burning. In just a matter of each day. minutes a fireman pulled up in front 

Even though we do not have a

of my house, and began assessing designed plan on how to deal with the situation, relaying information an electrical storm, I must praise Church of Christ in Mableton, Ga., on his radio, and at the same time and thank our administrative staff, teachers, and understanding parents Tommy Tidwell officiating. Burial officiating. Burial was in Evergreen donning his fire-fighting uniform. Then others arrived, vehicle after vehicle and then the fire truck from for their spontaneous good judg-New Brockton. It was unbelievable ment during this experience. Mr. how fast all the firemen got there - McCollough, Mrs. Irwin, Mr. from Four Star, New Brockton, and Rayborn, Mr. Russell, Mr. Fletcher, and the entire staff reacted immedi-Soon the yard was full of the fire- ately and properly in delaying any fighters, rescue personnel, friends further loading or exposing our eleand neighbors who stopped and mentary children to the danger of stood in the hot sun with me, comforting me. A sheriff's deputy Weeks and Mr. Dunn were taking arrived, and he and the firemen continued to check on me, to see if I measures to protect our high school students, making preparation for the was okay, at the same time clearing out the smoke, and making sure the delay and providing security at the

fire did not go into the attic. My high school. husband got on the roof and began The entire high school staff spraying it with the hose, while the joined in immediately without spefiremen did their jobs inside and cific instructions, to provide their help where needed. As I communi-I am so thankful the damage was cated with each school via our contained in the kitchen, other than emergency radio system, I was smoke damage throughout the amazed at how quickly and efforthouse, but no loss of things we hold lessly our staffs joined forces to make an unrehearsed event run as There is no way we could ever smoothly as it did.

convey our gratitude to the fire A special thanks to our patient department, the 911 operator, and parents who were delayed while all those who came to our aid. We waiting out the storm. Even though our schedules had to be adjusted, we feel that the safety and wellbeing of our students must always be given priority over time and

Covington County. Again, thanks to our administration, staffs, bus driver, students, and I am seeking information on the parents for working together to help Alabama and Coke bottling compa- Just another reason it's such a great pleasure to live in Elba,

Home directing. Survivors include her husband:

DOROTHY MAE AUSTIN

Medical Center in Dothan.

Betty Roberts Walker, and Joette

WILLIE RAY KNIGHT

County in 1934.

Home directing.

Bethlehem Cemetery, Elba, with Gracie (Johnny Booth) Edwards, Fla., for 45 years. Minister Clarene English officiating Kinston; a granddaughter raised as He was preceded in death by his VERA WILLIAMS and Coleman Funeral Home direct- a daughter: Annie Mae (Douglas) parents, Mr. and Mrs. Esmer Eiland Mrs. Vera Williams, age 78. Salter, Opp; a brother: Gable of Coffee County; his wife Evelyn; Elba, died Aug. 16, 1998, at Flower

Survivors include two sons: Taylor, Opp; three sisters: Annie Doyle Eiland, an infant son, David; Hospital in Dothan. Teddy Jones, Opp; Willie Ray Ruth Crenshaw, Glenwood; Easter Knight Jr., River Falls; a sister: Mae White, Pensacola, Fla.; Lillian two brothers, Glen and Malcolm Clarine (Allen) English, Pensacola, Marie Tyson, Elba; 35 grandchil- Eiland. Fla.; two brothers: Hillery Knight dren, 14 great-grandchildren. , and Leon Knight, both of A daughter, Mary Townsend, 9, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Whidden Pensacola, Fla.; two grandchil- Rochester, N.Y., preceded Mrs. McLean Funeral Home, Bartow, dren: Teneisha Jones and Onterrio Austin in death. LOIS BRUNSON WHATLEY

Mrs. Lois Brunson Whatley, age directing. JOSEPH LEO ROBERTS SR Mr. Joseph Leo Roberts Sr., age 87, of Elba, died Aug. 14, 1998, at 63, of Marietta, Ga., died Aug. 11, Medical Center Enterprise. 1998. Funeral services were held Aug. 14, 1998, at South Cobb

16, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Hayes Funeral brothers: Edward Eiland, Henry

was in Cheatham Hill Memorial Cemetery of Elba, with Hayes Park Cemetery in Marietta, with Funeral Home directing. Winkenhofer Pine Ridge Funeral Survivors include three daughters; Gloria Bragg, Elba; Louise A native of Coffee County, Mr. Jacobs, Enterprise; and Myrtle A. Roberts graduated from Troy State Helms, Sacramento, Calif.; two University and began his teaching sons: Bartlett M. Whatley, Waco. career at Osborne Junior High Tex., and Edward H. Whatley, Ft.

School in Marietta, Ga. He received Payne, Ala.; 11 grandchildren. an M.Ed degree from Auburn University, and an Ed.s. from the SARAH ANN MAGWOOD University of Georgia, and served as Mrs. Sarah Ann Magwood died principal of three different schools Aug. 7, 1998. She was born Dec. 20, from 1969 to 1994, when he retired from the Cobb County School 1952, to the late Rev. Archie Lee and Versie (Julie) Barnes.

Survivors include his wife: Hazel Funeral services were held Aug. Marler Roberts, Marietta, Ga.; two 12,1998, at Rocky Head Missionary sons: Joseph Leo Roberts Jr. and Baptist Church, with Rev. A.R. Matthew M. Roberts, both of Williams officiating. Burial was in Marietta, Ga.; his mother: Luna Rocky Head Church Cemetery, with Kimbro Roberts, Elba; four sisters: Hammonds Funeral Home direct-Cleo Roberts Hiner, Dallas, Texas; ing

Roberts, both of Birmingham; and to this union four children were Linda Roberts Herrington, Acworth, Survivors include the four chil-

dren: Sebastian (Mark), William Mrs. Dorothy Mae Austin died (Will), and Tawana, all of Elba; and Aug. 10, 1998, in Southeast Billy, Selma; her mother: Julie Barnes, Elba; 10 grandchildren, She was born June 26, 1928 in four brothers and two sisters: Federal Barnes, Murry (Phillis) Funeral services were held Aug. Barnes; Jeanette (Marvin) Siler, 14, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Piney Grove Elba; Joe (Shirley) Barnes, Johnny Lawrence officiating. Burial

Hinesville, Ga.; Zeneau (Kattie) was in Piney Grove Baptist Barnes, Hempstead, N.Y.; and Cemetery, with Coleman Funeral Zarrel (Ik) Barnes, Panama City,

John Austin, Opp; five sons: Robert JAMES EILAND

### AREA DEATHS

(Rosamae) Austin, Elba; Jermore Mr. James "Jiggs" Eiland, 64, of Coffee County; Thomas Eiland Mr. Willie Ray Knight died Aug. Austin, Samson; Willie J. Austin, Bartow, Fla., died Aug. 6, 1998. Brewton: sisters: Louise Mille 1998. He was born in Butler Isiah (Shelra) Austin and Thomas D. His last two years were spent in a Lucille Thornton and Margare Austin, all of Opp; three daughters: home care facility in Bartow. He Medders, Brewton; Addie Forbes Graveside services were held Dorothy Jean Campbell and Kathy was reared in Coffee County, and Opp; Carolyn Bradley, Dothan; tw Aug. 12, 1998, at 1 p.m. in (Byron) McClain, both of Opp; worked and lived in Polk County, grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Aug.

with Pastor Dave White officiating. Burial was in Wildwood Cemetery, Bartow, with Whidden McLean

and son-in-law: Debbie Lynn White Funeral services were held Aug. and Tony White, Bartow, Fla.;

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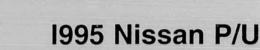
















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## CHURCH & COMUNITY

### Women's Conference planned at St. Johns Chapel

The Young Women's Progressive speaker will be Essie DuBose of Club of Johns Chapel A.M.E. Enterprise. Church will present a weekend of Christine McComb of Enterprise worship services and seminars that will bring the keynote address will focus on "A Spiritual Sunday at the 11 a.m. service. Awakening," based on Eph. 5:14. Everyone is invited to the Friday The weekend will begin with and Sunday services; all women are worship services on Friday, Aug. invited to the Saturday seminars. 28, at 6 p.m., with the message A registration donation of \$15 being brought by Minister Marian per person will be accepted on

which will include an all-female \$12.00 per person. choir under the direction of Ossie Pastor T.W. Parker Sr. and the Goode, is open to the public. members of the club invite every-Following a 9 a.m. registration one to share in these services. and devotional on Saturday, three For more information call the

seminars will be led by Lazette church at 393-2661; Loria Britt at Michael and Deborah Brooks, 393-2136 or Marge Simmons at Daleville; and Anna Rhodes- 393-3827. Vivour, Ozark. The noon luncheon

#### Coffee Baptist Association to host Leadeship Conference

Coffee Baptist Association will Enterprise; Ministers' Wives - Mrs. program to be held 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Montgomery.

Montgomery, and Doug Connell, reservations.

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the Birmingham area.

Leake of City of Refuge Christian Saturday. Groups of five or more selves outside most of the summer then be the "booger." Fellowship in Atlanta. The service, may register for a donation of

'No, I don't want to play."

"Please," I would beg. host a Key Leader Conference - Sara Jane Lyon, Montgomery; small, thick piece of glass we threw and I flounced my blindfold off, and We had contests to see who could snack. Then I would shake down "Celebrate Jesus 2000" - on Discipleship - Jerry Roberson, to mark our square of the hopscotch announced that I was not playing jump the most without missing, some more pecans. Monday, Aug. 31 at County Line Enterprise; Christian Life - Joe Bob pattern. I enjoyed the challenge of any more! At least for that particular individually. I made it to 500 one My younger cousin tried to fol-Baptist Church. A meal will be Mizzell, Montgomery; Pastors, seeing how far I could jump over day! served 6 - 6:30 p.m. (\$2.00 per per- Deacons, Evangelism, and Lay the other pieces of glass. And, you The Red Rover game was a test of A small rubber ball was the mother was too apprehensive, and son, must have reservations), with People - Sammy Gilbreath, weren't supposed to land on a line arm-strenth: two opposing lines source of much of my play. I would always say, "You can't climb

Topics and speakers will include: This free conference will offer As our yard was dirt, we could would sing out, "Red Rover, Red against the house, throw it over the that phrase implanted itself into her Brotherhood - Tommy Puckett, encouragement and training for the draw the diagram anywhere we Rover, send Johnny/Susie right roof and run to catch it, or let it roll mind, and she began to believe it, Montgomery; WMU directors - small church as well as the large. wanted to - and we always had over!" Whereupon Johnny or Susie back down to me, or just bounce it and never did become a climber. My Mrs. Maxine Bearden, Ozark; A nursery will be available for sticks around, the self-pruning would gather up all his/her strength, on the ground. I loved the feel of the mother would just say, "You'd bet-Sunday School - James Blakeney, children through third grade - with limbs of the big pecan tree and wild then run at top speed toward the ball in my hand. And a group of us ter not fall out of that tree." And I

"Would you like to play hop- and our parents sat on the porch and "it" for the next time. as we resident cousins were, she had be the "Booger," and the rest of us started or just after. The "teacher" One day, several cousins decided become citified at an early age, due would sing the song and walk non- would stand at the bottom of a set of they would "bury" my brother in the

and accompanying dirt. My cousin, group would have a blindfold tied and became "it." did not have to get in wood like we One time we were playing this jump by yourself at home, and then granddaddy, plus smaller ones, as

hoe cotton. Why, she could just was, if "it" came near to running two holding the rope, and you would "skin the cat" on a low limb stand around as we did these chores into an object, say, a tree, the others jumped until you missed. If you of the cherry laurel, as well as climb were to yell a warning. Well, this hesitated too long before the swing- it So, sometimes she would say, time, no one yelled, and I butted ing rope, with your hands out-I loved to hear the "thunk" of the to say, this did not set well with me, right time to "jump in."

cherry tree in our yard. (That's one other side and try to break the hand- could get a board for a bat and play would say, "I won't." And I never thing about yards today - there are clasp between the others. If the ball all day long! no sticks around - a pity; but then hands held, that person would join The gully in the pasture in front of when I lost my footing, but always left on the other line.

play; and when she was not there, me later, "Why did you run away?", was four or five feet deep, and sev- limbs swayed, and you could think,

This was a made-up game we you forgot to say "Mother, may I?" sun out while we played!

light lengthened into early evening, first one to reach "Mother" became cowboys! There were all kinds of scotch?" I would ask my visiting talked. Since it was dark, it was Then there was "Rock School." bushes to hide behind, and trees to even more fun, because you would This was when kids were enamored climb, and limitless space to run and Although born in the country just get scared better. One person would with school - either before they jump and yell.

did, or draw water, or pick peas, or game, and I was "it." And a rule at school a group could play, with well as the cherry laurel tree. We

were drawn, and the kids in one line throw it up in the air, bounce it that tree, you are too clumsy." Well,

there are no dirt yards to draw in their line, and so on until no one was our house was a favorite spot to managed to catch on another limb! play. It had to be a worry to my I always wanted my children -Of course, when we "swept the One day my cousin Helen ran folks, as it was a wash down then my grandchildren - to experiyards" that would clear the sticks toward the line I was in; she could through the pasture. Actually, we ence the joy of tree-climbing as I away; but we could always find a not break the hand-hold, which had a little gully, and a big gully. did, and always planted extra trees caught her just under the chin and The big gully was long and wide for that purpose. But, somehow, And so, sometimes I had to just threw her flat on the ground. With and deep enough to set our house in, times and games changed, and the hold the little piece of glass in my the breath knocked out of her, she and we could jump off the top down trees were not an option for play. hand and hope she would change just lay there, and I was so scared I the descending slope, and land on a I have a regret for them that they her mind - you just can't play hop- headed toward the schoolhouse to bed of sand anywhere we jumped. never experienced the high jump at find a teacher. She was aware of The little one was smaller, and the gully, or the free feeling high in But, then, sometimes she would what happened, because she asked only about three feet wide, but it a tree, as the breeze blew and the

my cousins just down the road were "Mother, May 1?" was a little eral hundred feet long, so we could and look around and be lost in the almost always there - and we kept milder. One person was the Mother, actually walk around and up and moment. busy playing our games - hop- and the kids would stand on a line in down in there. We made "rooms" - Inside recreation included - for scotch, Red Rover, Drop the front of her. She would then issue kitchen, living room, etc., by hack- the girls - dolls and paper dolls -Handkerchief - if we had enough for the command: "Susie, take two ing out shelves and partitioning off and for both boys and girls - jacks a big circle; and at night, we would baby (giant - rabbit - horse) steps." areas. Then we would roof an area and the ever-present comic books; play "There Aren't Any Booger Susie would take the ordered steps, by breaking off tree limbs and lay- boys also played marbles and mumas would each one in turn. BUT, if ing them across the gully to keep the blety peg outside. played in the front yard, as the twi- you had to go back to the line! The And, it was an ideal place to play played back then.

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NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST

Bible Study.....

to my uncle leaving the farm to find chalantly across the yard, until the steps, with a rock in her hand (usuother work, first in Mobile, then in "Booger" jumped out at us and we ally girls played this game), and she neck - then he discovered he couldwould yell and scream and try to run would hold out both hands, and a n't get out! When they realized what We country kids occupied our- away. Whoever got caught would child would tap the hand she they had done, they frantically thought held the rock; if it did, she began to dig sand with their hands days, and so were acclimated to the Another game we would play was advanced down the steps; and so on and anything else they could find. heat, bugs, sticker weeds, the yard "Blind Man's Bluff." One of the until someone reached the teacher. My mother was highly upset when she found out what had happened on the other hand, was a little - shall across his or her eyes and try to find And the old favorite - jump rope - not to mention scared half to death! I say "softer" than I was, and some- the others, who would come tanta- was a hidden method of top-notch. One of my favorite solitary things times did not want to get dirty. lizingly close to the blindfolded per- exercise! It was not exercise we to do was climb trees. We had a I often bemoaned the fact that she son, then quickly jump away. craved - but we got it! You could huge, old pecan tree planted by my

> heads with a tree, with a resulting stretched you were accused of "eat- come in from school, get a sweet hen egg on my forehead. Needless ing flies!" But you had to pick the potato, climb up the pecan tree, pick myself some pecans, and have my

> > Such were the games we kids

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Wed. Prayer Meet ....

low me in the tree-climbing, but her did; I ALMOST did, once or twice,

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diseases, discuss treatment modali- for the course. For more informaties of each of these diseases, and tion call 393-ESJC, ext. 234. discuss the emotional needs of .Tole and Decorative Painting is patients with these diseases by the offered each semester. For fall

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Tuesday -Pancakes w/Syrup, Cob, 1/2 Apple, Milk

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College's fall semester begins eration with Diversified Nursing vides instruction for beginners and August 24, earlier than previously, Services, which is an organization advanced painters. Painting will be so interested persons are encour- approved by the Alabama Board of done with acrylics on wood or from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. aged to complete their admissions. Nursing as a provider of continuing metal. Students will learn how to applications and register for classes education.

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as soon as possible.

jobs or launching careers.

The seminar will be held on to select proper tools and materials, Students will enjoy many advan- Friday, Sept. 11, 7:30 a.m.-3:30 and how to use appropriate brush tages with the change to the semes- p.m. There is a \$50.00 fee, and the strokes. There is a \$30.00 fee for Largest Auburn Club Meeting ter system including improvement registration deadline is Sept. 4. this course. Students may bring (WLAC). in articulation between and among For more information and a copy their own supplies (bring them to colleges, universities, and high of the course objectives, call the first class meeting), or they may schools (e.g. transfer of credits, high 334/393-ESJC, ext. 234. school dual enrollment, and sched•Tone up with non-impact exercost of approximately \$30-\$50.

uling of internships, with no loss of cise through ESJC's Leisure Students must be at least twelve credit when entering a public uni- Swimming. Participants have the years old. The class is limited to 15. versity); more time to learn and opportunity to maintain fitness For more information call 393retain course materials; more oppor- through swimming in the college's ESJC, ext. 234. tunities for instructors to assess stu- indoor pool during select time. This . Using the Microcomputer dent progress; more opportunities to fall semester the pool will be avail- Level I, will be offered again this Athletes! identify and correct difficulties; able for approximately 20 hours per fall semester to assist persons havmore flexibility in scheduling class- week. Fee for individual partici- ing NO keyboarding skills. es; textbooks written for semester; pants is \$25 and \$40 for families Participants will be introduced to fewer registration periods/forms For more information call the computer keyboard, taught basic and supplies; enhancement of reten- 334/393-ESJC, ext. 234. tion; more curriculum- centered; •Decorative Fabric Painting is a hands-on experience with a word

and better opportunities for summer special interest course offered at processing software package. ESJC this fall semester. Participants Overcoming a fear of computer The fall semester will end Dec. 11 will learn the basics of fabric paint- usage, understanding basic keywith final exams scheduled for Dec. ing, the application of the design, boarding functions, and gaining a and care of the fabric. They should sense of the potential for computer Students still have the option of bring a washed and dried white T- use in the home, work and/or educataking courses at the Ft. Rucker shirt (no fabric softener) to the first tional environment are emphasized. campus. Textbooks for all courses class. All other supplies will be fur- Participants must bring a 3 1/2" disk offered at the Ft. Rucker campus nished. The workshop is scheduled to the first class. The course is will be available there for sale. for Tuesdays, Sept. 15-22, 6:00- scheduled for Tuesdays and For more information about regis- 9:00 p.m. There is a \$25.00 fee for Thursdays, Sept. 15-24, 5:30-7:30 tering for classes, call the main this workshop which is limited to 15 p.m. There is a \$30.00 fee for the campus at 334-393- ESJC, ext. 234, participants. Registration deadline course, and registration deadline is or the Ft. Rucker campus at 334- is Sept. 8. For more information call Sept. 8. Space is limited to the first

334-393- ESJC, ext. 234. 15 to register. For more information •Several times a year Enterprise •ESJC's Community Band is call 393-ESJC, ext. 234. State junior College offers a special open for fall semester membership, •Pottery Shoppe is designed for Literacy Volunteer Training and provides recreation through adults who have had no experience Workshop to teach volunteers how musical participation for those who with clay as well as for those who to tutor adult non-readers and low- have a background in instrumental have worked with clay in the past. level learners. To be certified as a music. Members must furnish their Each student will complete at least literacy tutor by ESJC, participants own instruments. Through partici- one piece of slab-built pottery and must attend four workshop sessions. pation in Community Band, mem- must purchase clay and tools for In the workshop, participants exambers will gain in their knowledge of \$20.00. Dothan pottery master ine the psychology of the adult musical elements and in perfor- David Plunkett will be teaching this learner, study the use of Laubach mance skills. There are no auditions course on Mondays, 5:30-7:30 p.m., reading materials, and consider for membership, and there are no Sept. 4 - Oct. 19. Registration deadother methods for teaching adults. fees unless a member chooses to line is Sept. 8, and there is a \$30.00 The workshop is scheduled for take the course for one hour of col-6:00 - 8:30 p.m., Sep. 28 - Oct. 1 lege credit. There is a \$10.00 fee to mation, call 334/393-ESJC, ext. (Monday through Thursday) at take this course through 234.

ESJC. Registration deadline is Community Services, and there is •ESJC's Community Chorus, no registration deadline. The Band along with the ESJC Singers, will To register, contact Marquita meets on Tuesdays, Sept. 1 - Dec. present a choral masterpiece appro-Greene at 334/393-ESJC, Ext. 234. 15, 5:45-7:30 p.m. For more inforpriate for the holiday season on Virginia Stephenson at Ext. 266 or •Learn to foxtrot, waltz, and on Mondays, 7:00-8:30 p.m., Sept. Debbie McCollough at Ext. 218. swing with ESJCs Social Dance 14 - Dec. 6. There is a \$10.00 fee for •Diversified Nursing Services course. Registration is accepted this course, and the registration and ESJC will present a special only if participants have a partner. deadline is September 8. For more seminar for healthcare workers enti- Classes will be held on Mondays, information, call 334/393-ESJC. tled AIDS and Other Sexually Sept. 14-Nov. 16, 7:00-9:00 p.m. in ext. 234.

Transmitted Diseases. Persons ESJC's Student Center interested in learning more about Multipurpose Room. There is a the many sexually transmitted dis- \$94.00 per couple fee, and the regiseases will be able to identify the tration deadline is Sept. 8. Register most common sexually transmitted early for there is a 10 couple limit semester this course is scheduled

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Auburn People to participate in an improved and re-energized World's The program will be broadcast

University just seven days prior to the 1998 Tigers taking the field The WLAC program will feature the four "A"s of Auburn: Alumni, Administration, Academics, and

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So in tribute to Bishop Hirron Williams:

#### Bishop Hirrom Williams In Tribute . . . . . Bishop Hirron Williams And who do men say that you are? Some call you "The bishop," Others relate to you as "The Prophet," And many have even titled you

"A Radical Preacher," But who do we say that you are? You are the Bishop and Father of this house; the one the God has divinely chosen to carry the genetic imprint and characteristics of a A New Breed. One who has indelibly imprinted within our spirits and minds Kingdom principals, that will forever change the course of our destinies, Your teachings have liberated the captives, Rescued the perishing, Provided an oasis for those in desert place, And renewed solidarity, and singleness of vision among us as a people. Our spirits continually reverberate your percepts and examples that have been so vividly demonstrated within our midst. You've taught us to soar, to excel, To elevate our minds. . . think the unthinkable. . . Dream the impossible . . . To redefine our borders and challenge every obstacle!! the sacrifices of your family, Pastor Linda and your children, are greatly appreciated, they have counted the cost, And yet persist in unselfishly sharing you with the rest of the world. To the Williams" family - - We Thank You!! And to those who are of The Constitution of The New Abundant Life Deliverance Ministries, The commander in Chief, and the Captain of New Abundant Life Ministries, Inc. has announced that we are now moving at warp speed! We are pioneering new frontiers, And navigating a previously uncharted course! With precision we must execute his directives. There is no room for lethargy, slumber or sleep. In rank, file and order, we must assume our places. Embrace the vision, and seize the moment

The Cathedral of the Holy Spirit at New Abundant Life Family

Randy Neal, Minister LIFE WAS Even. Service ..... THE LIGHT Wed. Bible Study......7:00 p.m. OF MEN ELBA CHURCH OF GOD J. E. Wesley, Pastor ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday Afternoon.... .....5:30 p.m. Morn. Worship......11:00 a.m. ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Billy J. Redd, Pastor Morn. Worship..... ...6:00 p.m. BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Robert Paul, Pastor Sunday School...... .....9:00 a.m. ELBA UNITED METHODIST .....9:30 a.m. Rev. Marvin Ennis, Pastor ...11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship.......10:00 a.m. Even. Services......6:00 p.m. ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Even. Service......6:00 p.m. FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH 

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Wed. Bible Study ...

Danny Bradshaw, Pastor

...7:00 p.m. HAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ..7:00 p.m. HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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.....10:00 a.m. Morn Worship ..... Sunday Evening...... ....6:00 p.m. Wed. Service..... MT. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH NEW BROCKTON METHODIST J. R. Parks, Pastor .....9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship..... ....11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship..... 1st & 3rd Sundays 

Rev. Hubert McWaters, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship..... .....11:00 a.m. ....6:00 p.m. MT. ZION HOLINESS ...6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship.....

.....10:00 a.m. .....11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet...........6:00 p.m Tues. Prayer Service.......6:00 p.m. MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Richard Moss, Pastor ....11:00 a.m. Sunday School..... .....10:00 a.m. ....6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship..... .....11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet...........6:30 p.m Wed. Prayer Meeting.......7:00 p.m. MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD Sunday School...... ......9:45 a.m. Rev. Eddie Davis, Pastor Morn. Worship..... Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Even. Worship.....

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Hirron & Linda Williams, Ministers Morn. Worship......11:30 a.m. ......10 & 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays ....7:00 p.m. ...7:30 p.m. OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH J. R. Parks, Pastor ....7:30 p.m. Morn. Worship......11:30 a.m. PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rev. Keith Price, Pastor ...11:00 a.m. Sunday School.... ...5:00 p.m. Morn. Worship...

Wed. Prayer Service...... ROCKY HEAD M.B. CHURCH A. R. Williams, Pastor .....6:00 p.m. Morn. Worship......

NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH ROETON BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School......9:45 a.m. Sunday School.......9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship...... ......11:00 a.m. ....11:00 a.m. Even. Service...... .....6:00 p.m. ...5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet.......7:00 p.m Rev. F. L. Flowers, Pastor Sunday School......10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship... Praise Service Mon... Wed. Bible Study.....

> Campbell Sasser, Pastor Sunday School..... Morn. Worship ..... Even. Service..... Wed. Prayer Meet......7:00 p.m. THE SHEPARD'S FOLD CHURCH

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

...6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet.......7:00 p.m. .7:00 p.m. Rev. Raymond Miller, Pastor ....11:00 a.m. .....10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship. 





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Monday - Cinnamon Toast, Monday - Fishburger, Cole Slaw, French

Sausage, Cereal, Juice, Milk Thursday - Hoagie, Lettuce, Tomato,

Thursday - Breakfast Pizza, Dill Pickles, Tater Tots, California Style

Friday - Cheese Grits, Toast Friday - Corn Dog, Macaroni & Cheese,

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## LIFESTYLES



Pictured left to right: Mrs. Button (Estele) Holloway, Mrs. John Crittenden, Miss. Danon Lowrey-honoree, Mrs. Edwin C. Lowrey Jr. and Mrs. Edwin C. (Corrine) Lowrey Sr.

### Miss Danon Lowrey honored with bridal tea and miscellaneous shower

Miss Danon Michelle Lowrey, Mrs. Edwin C. (Corinne) Lowrey Mrs. Karen Brooks, Mrs. Katrina bride-elect of Mr. Shane Buteaux, Sr. They were then invited into the Calhoun, Mrs. Pam Crittenden, Mrs. home of Mrs. John Crittenden on Cassie Crittenden.

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was honored on Sunday afternoon, dining room where they registered Nancy Crowe, Mrs. Margaret Davis, Aug. 16, with a bridal tea and mis- and were served party dainties by Mrs. Lois English, Mrs. Mary cellaneous shower in the lovely Mrs. Stephanie Parrish and Miss Grider, Mrs. Henrietta Grimes, Mrs. The registry table was beautifully Kelley, Mrs. Vernette Maddox, Mrs. The front door was adorned with appointed with an arrangement of Judy Marler, Mrs. Velma Moore,

a heart-shaped wreath with white larkspur, alstroemeria lilies, white Mrs. Shirley Morrow, Mrs. Liz roses and wedding bells tied with a mountain lilies, caspia and white Murdock, Mrs. Loette Nelson, Mrs. As the many guests arrived, they Guests were invited into the den Mrs. Ann Spicer, Mrs. Vickie

were greeted by Mrs. Crittenden and bedrooms where they viewed Stinson, Mrs. Peggy Stroud and and received by the honoree, Miss the many lovely gifts for the couple. Mrs. Anne Tucker. Lowrey; Mrs. Edwin C. Lowrey Jr., Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Button (Estele) Holloway, and Mrs. Pam Baker, Mrs. Sam Bradley,

### Billy Driggers celebrates fifth birthday recently



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Billy is the son of Billy and of Alexander Driggers of Elba. His grandparents are Ricky and Linda Berry, and Bill and JoAnn Driggers, all of Elba, and Mary Pelletier of Long Beach, Calif.

Barbara Hudson, Mrs. Carolyn



Deadline For Social News Is Monday!

### Alzheimer's Walk luncheon planned for August 25 .The Southeast Alabama Chapter Registration will begin at 7:30 and the Alzheimer's Association will the walk itself at 8:30. This year's

hold a team captains' luncheon at goal is \$55,000. noon Tuesday, Aug. 25, in the Everyone is invited to participate Southeast Alabama Medical in the walk and teams are encour-Center's seventh-floor conference aged room. The luncheon will be held in For more information call the

preparation for the 1998 Memory chapter office at 334/677-6799 or 1-888-367-4360. Donations may be The Memory Walk will be held mailed to Alzheimer's Association, Saturday, Oct. 10 at Westgate Park. P.O. Box 609, Dothan, AL 36302.

NEW ARRIVAL: :...... **Emily Rose Cook** Paul and Sherry Cook of Bullock Community, Brantley, announce the birth of their daughter, Emily Rose, on July 3, at Flowers

The new arrival weighed 8 lbs. 14 ozs. and was 21-1/2 inches long. Grandparents are Sam and Shirley Noblin, Helen Cook and the late "Tebo" Elmer Cook. Greatgrandmother is Jeanette Boykin. Great-great aunt is Rose Hudghens,



Allie Moody is five years old

Allie Moody of Hoover celebrated her fifth birthday on August 12. She begins Kindergarten at Shades Mountain Elementary

Emily Rose Cook



(l-r) Mrs. Nancy Flowers, paternal grandmother of the honoree; Mrs. JoAnn Flowers, mother of bride-to-be; Miss Sondra Flowers, honoree; Mrs. Ola Woods, aunt of the future groom; Mrs. Lee Ella Robinson, maternal great-Bridget Driggers, and big brother grandmother of the groom-to-be; Mrs. Pearlie Cole, aunt of the future groom.

## Miss Flowers honored with bridal shower recently

Patricia Fair, Miss Contina Daniels

with a miscellaneous bridal shower with a crystal punch bowl surround-Saturday, July 25, in the fellowship ed with greenery and baby's breath. hall of the Shady Grove AME A colorful arrangement sat opposite

the punch bowl. The front entrance was adorned The lovely gifts were displayed with the traditional wedding bells on a table in the fellowship hall. decorated with a large cream-col- Hostesses for the occasion were ored bow. Mrs. Pearlie Cole and Mrs. Pearlie Cole, Mrs. Ola Woods, Mrs. Vivian Cole greeted the guests. Mrs. Vivian Cole, Mrs. Betty Guests were registered by Miss Reffegee, Mrs. Porchia Jones, Miss Stephanie Daniels.

The registry table was covered Miss Stephanie Daniels, Mrs. Janice with a white cloth, overlaid with a Cole, Mrs. Lee Edwards, Mrs. white lace cloth. A bud vase held Karen Magwood, Mrs. Pearlie M Culver, Mrs. Beverly Liptrot, Mrs. white carnations. Refreshments were served by Shirley Coleman, Ms. Yvonne Mrs. Janice Cole.

Miss Sondra Flowers, bride-elect of Mr. Tony Daniels, was honored ered with a white cloth, adorned Culver, Mrs. Margaret Rowe.

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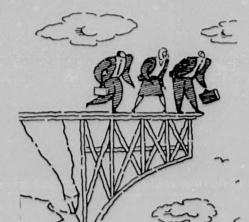
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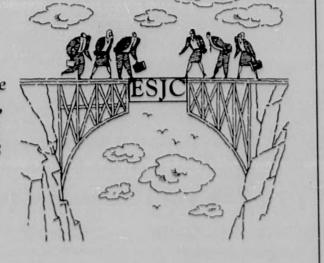


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#### Hospice to sponsor grief group

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pain of grief, adjustment to grief, Blvd., Enterprise. and the loneliness of grief.

Wiregrass Hospice, Inc. will The group is available to anyone begin a 5-week educational grief throughout the community who has group called "New Beginnings" in lost a loved one. There is no cost. September. The group will meet Meeting dates are Sept. 15, 22, 29 once a week and will include educa- and Oct. 6 and 13, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. tion about and discussion of issues at Heritage United Methodist such as the tasks of mourning, the Church located at 2911 Rucker making sense of your life after loss For more information call 334/347-3353.

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#### for young people ages 9 - 19, and in Coffee County there are different ways to be a part of this group. New Brockton, Zion Chapel, Kinston and Elba offer 4-H in the schools in grades 4-6. Coppinville's 7th grade has 4-H as one of their clubs. Home school youth have 4-H once a

Anyone not in these club settings may be an individual member or part of an out-of-school

4-H Out of School Club

Four-H is a youth organization

seeking members

A livestock club is also available, which consists of different components - judging teams, showing steers or heifers or

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#### Johnson is Teacher of The Year Tony Rodriguez, will have rededi-

Christy Johnson, a 1990 gradurecently named 1997-98 "Teacher of the Year" at Evangel Christian Academy in Montgomery. Christy directs the choral music and band programs at ECA, where she is beginning her fourth year of teach-

Christy is the daughter of Evan and Carol Smith of Elba. She is married to Jay Johnson, also of

LAURA RENEE WILLIAMS, (r), 1998 graduate of Zion Chapel High School, was the recipient of a scholarship from the School of Commerce Elba, son of Harold and Faye and Business Administration at the University of Alabama. Laura is the daughter of Jane and Kieff Lambert. Making the presentation was Mary Sue Cain, president of the Coffee County Chapter of the National Alumni

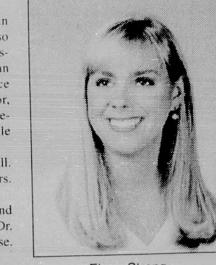
### Elena Strong tapped in University of Alabama ceremony

Elena Strong of Elba was tapped the top 18 females). for four honor societies in The In addition to participating in University of Alabama's "Tapping these honor societies, Elena also on the Mound" ceremony, which serves Chi Omega Sorority as presmarks the end of the academic year. ident, the College of Human

Board, Omicron Delta Kappa, Blue She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Key, and Anderson Society, which Kenneth Strong.

At this ceremony, student leaders Environmental Sciences as vice are recognized on the quad in front president and Ambassador, of faculty, administrators, parents Capstone Men and Women as secretary, and the Alabama Triangle Organizations which invited Association as president. Elena into membership were Mortar Elena will be a senior in the fall.

only selects 24 members. She was Her grandparents are Dr. and also chosen for membership in Mrs. E.M. Warr of Elba, and Dr. Golden Key, Order of Omega, and and Mrs. W.D. Strong of Enterprise. XXXI ,an organization that selects



Elena Strong

### AIDB to sponsor signing classes

Conversation class to start Sept. 5. held 1 - 3 p.m. on Saturdays. Location will be the AIDB Cost will be \$40.00, with materi-

The Alabama Institute for Deaf Regional Center, 105 Executive als provided. and Blind is offering an American Park Dr., Dogwood Court, Dothan, For more information contact Sign Language (ASL) I - Beginning AL, and the 8-week session will be Kathy Lord at 334/677-6270.

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#### THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz

It was back to school last week for the kids, and Melanie was so ready to start the fourth grade that she got up at 5:30 AM on Tuesday morning to make certain that she had time to get dressed and get all her supplies loaded in the car. The excitement lasted throughout the week, but the "early to rise" habit did change late in the week, and by week's end she was ready to hit the sack way before her bedtime. I know we've got some bumps ahead in the road, but the first week was fun to watch.

#### SCHEDULES REVEAL INTERESTING SEASON AHEAD

The high school football season starts next week, and after taking a look at the schedules or the area teams, it looks like a very interesting season ahead for all of the area teams. Here's a quick peak...

\*\*\*ELBA TIGERS - The Tigers have made a major change in their schedule in an attempt to get back to their winning ways of the past after two straight losing seasons. While any team that plays Elba will be fired up and will give the Tigers all they can handle, gone from the schedule are some of the teams that made the schedules of the past so difficult. There are still some very tough teams, such as 3A Luverne, 4A Geneva, 5A Opp and 5A Andalusia; however, when the Tigers don't have to compete with other powerful teams like Monroe County, Charles Henderson and Georgiana during the other weeks, maybe the Tigers won't be quite as banged up when they go to war on Friday nights. The schedule is still far from easy, and despite playing six of nine games at home, it will be one that will challenge

the Tigers every time they hit the field. \*\*\*BRANTLEY BULLDOGS - The Bulldogs have never backed down from a challenge and this year will be no different, as (1A) Brantley will challenge four 3A teams and two 2A opponents in their ten game schedule. The new teams on the schedule will include Elba, Zion Chapel and St. James, while the remainder of the slate looks very familiar with battles against such powers Georgiana, Goshen, Luverne, Frisco City and Highland Home. Brantley never plays an easy schedule, and this year is

certainly no different. \*\*\*ZION CHAPEL REBELS - The Rebels made giant strides last season and claimed four wins, but will face a rugged schedule this season and may have a hard time improving on the four wins. Teams such as G.W. Long, Ariton, New Brockton, Brantley and Florala are always hard to beat, while cross-county rival Kinston and area foe Houston Academy will certainly provide challenges. If the Rebels can get a quick start against Thorsby and Isabella they could be much better than expected. If not, the

Rebs will face another tough challenge. \*\*\*KINSTON BULLDOGS - The Bulldogs make the move to the 2A ranks this year, but that really makes no difference, since they have always played bigger teams and back down from no one. The 2A teams on this year's slate include Ariton, Wicksburg, Red Level, Samson, Geneva County, New Brockton and Straughn, and all seven are very good teams that will be hard to beat. When 1A opponents such as G.W. Long, Florala and Zion Chapel are added to the mix, it is obvious that the Bulldogs' schedule this season may even be tougher than usual.

\*\*\*NEW BROCKTON - The Gamecocks have made giant strides in recent years, and even though their schedule this season is just as tough as ever, the Gamecocks appear to have a real shot at improving on last season's six wins. The season will open with a bang when the Gamecocks travel to Luverne, and the Gamecocks will face some very good teams in G.W. Long, Ariton, Straughn, Samson and Florala, not to mention area foes Kinston and Zion Chapel. The schedule is not easy, but the Gamecocks are no push over, and it should be a very interesting season for Brockton.

#### PEAKING AT OTHER AREA SCHEDULES....

\*\*\*CLASS 1A - Billingsley has always played one of the state's toughest schedules, and 1998 will be more of the same as the 1A Bears take on 5A Chilton County, 4A Daleville, 5A Dallas County and 4A Dadeville, not to mention 1A power Autaugaville and 2A strong boy Maplesville. Not many 3A or 4A teams would want to compete against folks like that. \*\*\*CLASS 2A - For a team that posted only two wins a year ago, the Panthers have a very ambitious schedule this season that includes 2A power Highland Home; 3A foes Goshen, Luverne and Leroy; and 5A Hillcrest, of

Evergreen. Houston County also struggled to only two wins in '98, but will back down from no one and this season will oppose 3A Slocomb and 4A foes Headland, Abbeville, Ashford and Rehobeth. It is time for the Lowly Lions to get out of the Wiregrass Conference. \*\*\*CLASS 3A - UMS-Wright has one of the state's top 3A programs, but the '98 football season may be more than even the talented Bulldogs can handle as they oppose 6A Fairhope, 6A Ft. Walton Beach, 4A T.R.

Miller, 5A Citronelle and 4A St. Paul's. Colbert County also plays some bigger folks as the Indians battle 5A Muscle Shoals, 5A Russellville and 5A Coffee. \*\*\*CLASS 4A - Lanett is another team that always plays a tough schedule, and this season the Panthers will face 6A Auburn and 5A teams such as Greenville, Ga.; Russell County; Stanhope Elmore and Valley. T.R. Miller certainly is good enough to battle any team in any class, and the Tigers will again put that to the test this season as they oppose 6A Alma Bryant, 5A Jackson, 5A Escambia County, 5A Monroe County and 5A

Hillcrest, not to mention 3A power UMS-Wright and 4A powers St. Paul's, Daleville and W.S. Neal. \*\*\*CLASS 5A - Eufaula posted only four wins a year ago, but must be much optimistic this season since the Tigers will face such opponents as 6A Columbus, Georgia; 6A Auburn; 6A Northview; and 5A foes such as Charles Henderson, Valley, and Carroll, of Ozark. Greenville is always one of the state's best teams, regardless of class, and the Tigers had better be as good as ever this season as they open the year against 6A Dothan, 6A Jeff

Davis and 5A Stanhope Elmore. \*\*\*CLASS 6A - Carver, of Montgomery, posted only three wins last season, but the Wolverines may have something up their sleeves, or must be making some kind of money, since they open the year against Robert E. Lee, Sidney Larier, Jeff Davis, Central, of Tuscaloosa, and Central, of Phenix City. Does it get any easier? A little, but they then close the year against Enterprise and Northview. Whew! Jeff Davis has a pretty tough four-game stretch against such powers as Murphy, Prattville, Dothan and Robert E. Lee, while Enterprise has toughened up its schedule a little with early-season match-ups against Foley, Bay High, Prattville, Benjamin Russell, Dothan and Northview.

#### August 21 is registration deadline for youth football & cheerleading

Registration for football and cheerleading will continue through Friday, August 21, for any boys and girls ages 6-12, in Elba. The Elba Department of Parks and Recreation will again field teams in the Tri-County Youth Football League in the 1998 season, with teams competing as Midget Tigers (ages 6-8), Termite Tigers (ages 9-10) and Pee Wee Tigers (ages 11-12). The department will also sponsor cheerleader squads for the three teams, with the same ages involved. The cutoff date to determine the age of a player or cheerleader is October 1, 1998, with the age of a player or cheerleader on that date determining what division that person will take

For additional information contact the Elba Department of Parks and

#### FOOTBALL '98 - IT'S HERE!

### Six home games on nine-game schedule

## 98 Elba schedule will have new look

be able to enjoy the friendly con- a year ago, and will ready for the this season, and should bring a very Tigers will have a chance to take a fines of Tiger Stadium for most of visit by the Tigers. the 1998 football season as the The first week in October (Oct.2) the with the Tigers in week #9. Tigers are scheduled to play six of will find Elba back at home as they 
The final week of the regular seahost the highly-touted Geneva son (Oct.30) will find the Tigers on Next week: their nine games at home. Elba will open the season at home Panthers. The Panthers, coached by the road for an important Area on Thursday, Aug.27, when they Elba grad Leavy Boutwell, rolled to encounter with the Slocomb Red An indepth look at the

host the always dangerous Brantley a 7-3 record last season and handed Tops. The Red Tops, under the 1998 Elba Tigers and Bulldogs. The Bulldogs, of Coach the Tigers one of their worst defeats direction of Larry Lee, are looking Roland Jones, have been one of the in decades. So, the Tigers will have to improve greatly on last season's their coaching staff on state's top 1A programs for many to have their chin straps buckled 2-8 record, and by the final week of years, and with a gang of hungry tightly when Boutwell's bunch the schedule should be more than the day of their season 6-5 season, the Tigers will be in for The seventh week (Oct.9) of the With six home games on the Opening game against

a real fight to protect their home season will bring with it a bit of schedule, and only four teams on the Brantley. gridiron history as the Straughn schedule that posted winning Week #2 (Sept.4) will find the Tigers will come to town to battle records last season, it appears that Tigers on the road to battle the the Tigers for the first time ever! Luverne Tigers. The Tigers, of Straughn, coached by Trent Taylor, Coach Butch Norman, claimed the struggled to a disappointing 2-8 state 2A championship last season mark a year ago, but the Tigers are and posted a 13-2 record along the hungry to prove the '97 season was way, but this year are back in the 3A a fluke, and there is no doubt the ranks, and even though they are not Tigers from Covington County will in Elba's area, will no doubt have an be looking to prove a point when ambush awaiting their arch-rivals they come to town.

Elba will return to Tiger Stadium "Homecoming" on October 16 when on Sept.11 to host the 5A Opp the Clayton Tigers come to town in Bobcats, in perhaps the Tigers oldest an important Area clash. The Tigers and most intense rivalry. The of Coach Willie Thomas posted an Bobcats, of Coach Shane Wasden, 0-10 record last season as their footare expecting big things this season ball woes continued in the '90's. after a 7-4 campaign a year ago, and However, the Tigers are expected to week #3 will anything but a breather field one of their better teams this for the Tigers as they return home. year, and will be be more than ready Elba will have the fourth week to test the Tigers of Elba in this big

(Sept.18) of the season off after game. three tough opening opponents, but The Tigers will enjoy their fourth will return to action on Sept.25 straight home game on October 23 when they travel to Hartford to meet when they host the 5A Andalusia the Geneva County Bulldogs. The Bulldogs of Coach Bulldogs, of Coach Rick Moody, are Richard Robertson posted a disaplooking for a marked improvement pointing 2-9 record a year ago, but

the 2A ranks this season. However,

jump should have little meaning as

the 'Dogs move through the slate in

will have their hands full in the 2A

The New Brockton Gamecocks,

of Coach Keith Thrasher, posted a

winning record last season and have

easier, but not really all that much

### Exciting season ahead as schedule changes will provide new rivalries for all football teams across local area

The 1998 high school football season is only one week away, and KINSTON if the schedules of the area teams are any indication, it looks like an The Kinston Bulldogs, of Coach exciting season ahead for all area Mickey Jacobs, made the jump to high school football fans. Following is a brief look at the the Bulldogs have been taking on schedules of the teams in the area: 2A opponents for years, and the

from Coffee County.

The Brantley Bulldogs, coached The biggest change for the by Roland Jones, struggled some- Buildogs will come in Area action, what last season in posting a 6-5 where the new Area opponents will record, and will have to be much be cross-county rival New improved this season if they hope to Brockton, and 2A power Straughn. make big improvements against one Other 2A teams that dot the schedof the area's toughest schedules. ule will include Ariton, Wicksburg,

The Bulldogs open the '98 season Red Level, Samson and Geneva with a bang as four of their first five County, which gives Kinston seven games are against (3A) Elba, (2A) very solid 2A opponents to do battle Georgiana, (3A) Goshen and (3A) with. The Bulldogs will still meet a Luverne, and the other opener is a trio of 1A opponents in G.W. Long, key area encounter against Florala and Zion Chapel; however, McKenzie. The second half of the G.W. Long and Florala combined to schedule isn't quite as bad for the win 15 games as 2A teams last sea-'Dogs; however, (2A) Highland son, which makes the 1A foes any-Home and (3A) St. James are thing but a breather. included among the final five foes, Kinston has never been afraid to as are area opponents Frisco City take on the big boys, and this year and J.U. Blacksher, as well as Zion will be no different, as the Bulldogs

The '98 season should be one in ranks. which the Bulldogs show a big improvement, but with a schedule NEW BROCKTON that includes some of the area's top teams, the record could be deceiv-

#### ZION CHAPEL

their sights set on even bigger things this year, including a trip to The Zion Chapel Rebels, coached the 2A playoffs and an improved by Randy Grant, took a giant step record. back toward respectability last sea- The Gamecocks will find out in a son in posting a 4-5 record, and hurry just how ready they are when even though the Rebels should be they open the season in Luverne solid again this season, a rugged against the defending 2A state schedule could make the Rebels champion Luverne Tigers. The work overtime to improve on last remainder of the schedule is a little

Area opponents this season will easier, as such perennial powers as include G.W. Long, Florala and G.W. Long, Straughn, Samson, and Houston Academy, a trio of teams Florala dot the schedule that that all have their eyes set on the includes six home games. Area playoffs each and every year, while opponents this season will be 2A teams that dot the schedule will Straughn and Kinston, a welcomed include Thorsby, Ariton, New change after two years in the area Brockton and Kinston. Rounding with Luverne, Goshen and out the Rebel schedule this season Georgiana, while rounding out the are Isabella and Brantley, which slate will be Ariton, Zion Chapel, added to the remainder of the slate, Wicksburg and Geneva County. makes one very tough nine-game A talented Gamecock team

should be up to the task of continuroad for the Rebs. The '98 season should find the ing their trip to the top of the 2A Rebels more than ready to continue ranks, but with a schedule that is their trip back to the ranks of win-filled with winning teams, nothing ning teams, but with a schedule that will come easy. has no easy opponents, it looks like a real tester for Zion Chapel.

The Elba Tigers and their fans will after suffering through a 3-8 season appear more than ready to rebound Coach David Sikes and his youthful experienced team to town to do bat- step back toward becoming a win-

October 30

ready for the visit from the Tigers.

Away

### **ELBA TIGERS** 1998 Football Schedule

Brantley	Home
Luverne	Away
Орр	Home
Open Date	
	Away
Geneva	Home
Straughn	Home
Clayton * +	Home
Andalusia	Home
	Luverne Opp Open Date Geneva County Geneva Straughn Clayton * +

\* denotes Area contests + denotes Homecoming game All games begin at 7:30 PM

Slocomb \*

#### BRANTLEY BULLDOGS 1998 Football Schedule

August 27	Elba	Away
September 4	Georgiana	Home
September 11	Goshen	Away
September 18	McKenzie *	Home
September 25	Luverne	Home
October 2	Frisco City *	Home
October 9	Zion Chapel	Away
October 16	Highland Home	Away
October 23	St. James	Away

#### KINSTON BULLDOGS 1998 Football Schedule

Ariton	Away
Wicksburg	Home
Red Level	Away
Samson	Away
G.W. Long	Home
Florala	Away
Geneva Co.	Home
New Brockton *	Away
Zion Chapel	Home
Straughn *	Home
	Wicksburg Red Level Samson G.W. Long Florala Geneva Co. New Brockton * Zion Chapel

#### NEW BROCKTON GAMECOCKS 1998 Football Schedule

August 28	Luverne	Away	
September 4	G.W. Long	Home	
September 11	Ariton	Home	
September 18	Straughn *	Away	
September 25	Zion Chapel	Away	
October 2	Samson	Away	
October 9	Wicksburg	Home	
October 16	Kinston *	Home	
October 23	Geneva County	Home	
October 30	Florala	Home	
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#### ZION CHAPEL REBELS 1998 Football Schedule

1990	o Football Schedule	
August 28	Thorsby	Away
September 4	' Isabella	Home
September 11	G.W. Long *	Away
September 18	Ariton	Away
September 25	New Brockton	Home
October 2	Open Date	
October 9	Brantley	Home
October 16	Florala *	Home
October 23	Kinston	Away
October 30	Houston Ac. *	Home

Note: \* denotes Area contests

## AGRI NEWS

#### **Helpful Hints From Your County Agents**

ANGELA HUGHES County Extension Agent

INFORMATION SUPERHIGHWAY What could possibly be dangerous about an adolescent surfing the inter-

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net in the safety of the family workroom? The Internet does not have a governing body that monitors its contents. Anyone, for whatever reason, may put information on the Internet. It is up to the user to determine if the information is correct and credible. The fact that the information superhighway is not monitored poses a real concern for

In 1995, more than 19 million households were connected to on-line services. This number is expected to increase at amazing rates during the coming years. With computers readily accessible to most youngsters, the contents and quality of Internet information accessible to them becomes a real worry to parents.

Parents have always worried about strangers approaching their children, the types of movies and television shows available to their children, getting involved with the wrong friends at school or driving too fast. To counter these worries, parents set specific rules and taught them to their youngsters

And just as we tell children to be wary of strangers they meet, we need ciency and irregular water supply. It food marketed especially for tomato tell them to be wary of strangers on the Internet.

The most important rule-of-thumb is to never give out any type of personal information. Sharing personal information, such as home addresses, phone numbers, income, or credit card information with strangers puts the entire family at risk. They should never share their password with anyone, your garden. It is not a total disaster •Use mulches to conserve moisnor should they arrange a face-to-face meeting with someone they meet for your tomato crop because there ture. online. If they receive messages that make them feel confused or frightened, they should ignore the sender and tell you immediately. It is important for children to understand the people they meet online are not always cut down on the quantity and qualiwho they say they are, and online information is not necessarily private. Other steps you can take to keep inappropriate information away from

•Make sure your children understand what you consider appropriate for them. Set clear, reasonable rules and consequences for breaking them.

 Make online explorations a family activity. •Placing the computer in a public place such as the living or family room near the blossom end. makes it easy for the whole family to take part. It also helps you to monitor the sites your children are visiting

•Pay attention to games your older children might download or copy. \*Learn as much as you can about Internet use policy at your local library or Cooperative Extension Service at nitrate. Always follow label direcyour child's school.



#### Chicken litter waste to some gold to others

At present, very little research

has been conducted on the use of

RICHARD L. PETCHER County Extension Agent One of the blessings that the poultry litter for fertilizing fish poultry business has brought to ponds. So it is not on Auburn Coffee County is the millions of University's recommendations at pounds of poultry litter. What is this moment but possibly will be considered waste to some is like one day. gold to others. Organic farmers call

it "farmers' gold." If you are needing some litter spread, Mr. Jerry Davis, near Fairview, and Mr. Eddie Wiggins in Enterprise, are the only two commercial deliver-and-spread people in this county. If you need poultry litter simply

delivered by the truck load, John

Bell Hughes, between Enterprise and Goodman is in this business. Chicken litter is now used on most agriculture crops in Coffee County. Two tons per acre spread annually is an excellent rate for adding nutrients and soil organic matter. One ton of poultry litter on average contains 60 units of N, 60 units of P and 40 units of K.

The best way to utilize these nutrients is to spread the litter and disc or break it into the soil right before planting. Most crops, depending on how much litter and how much rain we get, will need additional fertilizer added.

Chicken litter works well on corn, small grains, hayland, pastures, peanuts, watermelons and cotton. Caution: Peach trees do not like poultry litter. Scientists do not know the reason for this yet. However, they have seen peach trees respond negatively to poultry

Fish ponds need fertilizing also. This summer I fished in two local fish ponds where the water was nearly perfect in color and the fish extremely healthy. Both farmers fertilized their ponds with poultry

One grower put the litter in burlap sacks and threw the sacks in the water. The other had a much larger pond. He had a large dump truck dump the litter right on the edge of the pond, and as the rains came, natural seepage off the litter kept the ponds fertilized perfectly.

### The scourge of blossom end rot on tomato plants

tim of Southern Blight. But no blossom end rot!

I have had blossom end rot before. It took it boils down to these basics: its toll only on a couple of plants. •Get a soil test and follow the rec-The affected plants were of the same variety, so I do believe that •Keep the soil pH between 6.0 some varieties are more susceptible and 6.5. If lime is needed, apply it to blossom end rot.

biossom end rot as a non-parasitic limestone. condition caused by a calcium defi
•Don't over-fertilize, use a plant appears as a dark, almost black toes (usually low nitrogen). leathery patch on the blossom end, Provide a sufficient, regular or bottom end, of the fruit. You water supply. About 1.5 inches per can't miss it when it does occur in week is good for tomatoes. are some things you can do to com
•If you do develop a calcium defi-

ty of tomatoes you can harvest. toes, it can occur on eggplant at the the extremely hot weather we have

Auburn University point the finger tions!

at calcium as not being a particular- I must tell you this. I have a

from a proper water intake.

water from heavy rains, excessive works for him, why not? irrigation or even high humidity can So, now we have a good garden olossom end rot may result.

how to remember what foods are blossom end rot. What to do?

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CLASSIFIEDS

I was so proud of myself - over Similarly, a lecturing Auburn horthree dozen health-looking tomato ticulturist earlier this year explained plants valiantly producing a promis- the best way to minimize blossom ing crop during unseasonably hot end rot and some common plant conditions and nary a sign of blos- diseases this way: "Do all those som end rot. Then, almost without things that you should normally do warning, my tomato plants began for having a good garden," he said. wilting and dying off. Another vic- "Chances are then that you won't get blossom end rot or some of the other plant disorders."

Those are simple instructions and

two to four months before planting. Most plant pathologists describe Use a dolomitic or high calcium

spoons of calcium nitrate or calci-Although blossom end rot is most um chloride per gallon of water. commonly associated with toma- A special warning, though. With blossom end. It also has been been having lately, care should be reported on the sides of peppers taken using calcium chloride because at temperatures over 85 to In explaining the cause of blos- 90 degrees, it can burn plants. som end rot, plant pathologists and During periods of high temperahorticulturists of the Alabama tures it is better to use calcium

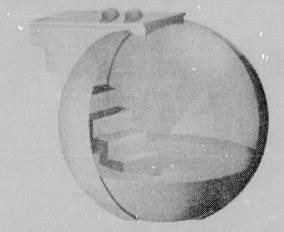
ly "mobile" element. Therefore, friend - we'll just call him Tex even brief changes in your garden's who sprays his tomato plants with water supply can cause blossom end skim milk. Skim milk! Tex swears rot because the plants are restricted by it. I don't know if Extension Service experts would endorse that A highly acidic soil or too much method or not, but if Tex says it

evelop a calcium deficiency and soil tested, limed, fertilized, mulched and watered. We detect So, what can you do to help pre- blossom end rot and spray with a vent the condition from occurring? calcium solution (or skim milk Do you remember the story of the which I guess you could call a calphysician trying to tell his patients cium solution). We still get more good to eat and which are not? "If it Throw the bad tomatoes away; tastes good, spit it out," was his try again another day. Good luck!



ROSCOE MILLS, 85 years young, is going strong and enjoying his 10acre garden. Corn, peas, butterbeans, okra, snap beans and gourds are his main crops. His gardening advice is, "If you plant it, care for it, and if the season is right, you'll have a good harvest." His comments on picking okra, "It is rough - you've got to be tough or it will eat you up. Try to get your wife to pick it; but that can be even tougher." Mr. Mills was a carpenter for 30-35 years and a farmer all his life. (Richard Petcher, County Extension

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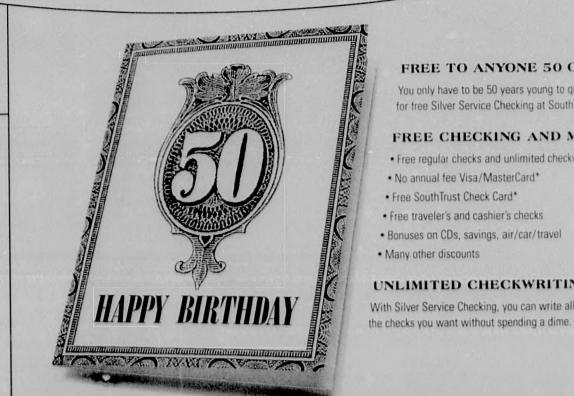
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COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

## LEGALS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ENTERPRISE DIVISION

STATE OF ALABAMA, EX REL LARRY JARRELL ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

NATHANIEL DEON BROWN AND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-TWO AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$742.00) IN LAWFUL UNITED STATES CURRENCY AND/OR COINAGE, CASE NUMBER: CV97-278

LEGAL NOTICE

In this case it is made to appear to the Circuit Court by the affidavit of Larry C. Jarrell, Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Coffee County Alabama, and represents the State of Alabama in this action, that a petition for the condemnation of property was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division, DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

Alabama. On or about November 17, 1997, the summons and complaint which instigated this action HUNDRED AND NO/100 of crime, pursuant to Section 13A-11-84 and Section 20-2-93 of the Code of Alabama as amended. The property is in possession of the Twelfth Judicial Court Drug Task

Force. The address of the defendant is unknown. It is therefore, ORDERED by the Court that the owner of the above listed property is directed to appear and plead to or answer the petition in the above styled case by the 15th day of October, 1998, or a judgment by default may be rendered by the Court and the money may be disposed of as ORDERED BY THE DONE this the 5th day of August,

/s/JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk 8-13-20,27;9-

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE The City of Elba plans to conduct a public hearing August 25, 1998 at 6:00 p.m. The hearing will be held

elocation, and elevation of existing

structures. Please be advised that

the Hazard Mitigation program is

voluntary program.

Any disabled persons needing

should contact City Officials.

JAMES GRIMES, Mayor

200 Buford Street

8-13,20,27;9-3

ENTERPRISE DIVISION

at the Old Reserve Center. The public hearing is being held in reference to City of Elba's proposed Phase I Hazard Mitigation program. The Planning Committee has determined that the Phase I will include nose citizens residing outside of ne levee who have been flooded three (3) or more times. The public zens on the rules and regulations

/s/JIM ELLIS

assistance at the public hearing STATE OF ALABAMA

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

Elba, Alabama 8-13,20chg I, TRACY EDWARDS, will not be esponsible for any debts other than those made by me personally. County, Alabama, at Volume 119-A,

COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA STATE OF ALABAMA, EX REL. LARRY JARRELL ASSISTANT

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, PLAINTIFF, JABARI DEMOND HOLLAND AND TWO HUNDRED, SIXTY-SIX AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$266.00) IN LAWFUL UNITED STATES CURRENCY AND/OR COINAGE, CASE NUMBER: CV97-136

LEGAL NOTICE

In this case it is made to appear to the Circuit Court by the affidavit of Larry C. Jarrell, Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Coffee County Alabama, and represents the State of Alabama in this action, that a petition for the condemnation of property was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division, Alabama. On or about June 11, 1997, the summons and complaint

which instigated this action was The property was seized as fruits of crime, pursuant to Section 13A-11-84 and Section 20-2-93 of the Code of Alabama as amended. The property is in possession of the Twelfth Judicial Court Drug Task Force. The address of the defendant is unknown It is therefore, ORDERED by the Court that the owner of the above listed property is directed to appear and plead to or answer the petition in the above styled case by the 15th day of October, 1998, or a judgment by default may be rendered by the

Court and the money may be disposed of as ORDERED BY THE COURT. DONE this the 5th day of August,

/s/JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk 8-13-20,27;9-3chg MICHAEL ALBERT JOHNSON, PLAINTIFF.

TAMMY MICHELLE JOHNSON, DEFENDANT.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA TRACT #4 **ELBA DIVISION** One lot or parcel of land contain-

CASE NO. DR 98-54 NOTICE OF PUBLICATION TO: Tammy Michelle Johnson

You are hereby given that the Plaintiff has filed a complaint for divorce against you in this court and you are required to appear and plead to or answer the same by the 5th day of October, 1998, or thereafter a default may be rendered against you.
This the 10th day of August,

/s/ JIM ELLIS Circuit Clerk 8-13,20,27;9-3

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ENTERPRISE DIVISION STATE OF ALABAMA, EX REL LARRY JARRELL ASSISTANT

PLAINTIFF. TWANA JONES AND ELEVEN IN LAWFUL UNITED STATES CURRENCY AND/OR COINAGE, CASE NUMBER: CV97-233

In this case it is made to appear to the Circuit Court by the affidavit of Larry C. Jarrell, Assistant District Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit Coffee County Alabama, and represents the State of Alabama in this action, that a petierty was filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Enterprise Division, Alabama. On or about August 22, 1997, the summons and complaint which instigated this action was

The property was seized as fruits of crime, pursuant to Section 13A-11-84 and Section 20-2-93 of the Code of Alabama as amended. The property is in possession of the Twelfth Judicial Court Drug Task Force. The address of the defen-It is therefore, ORDERED by the Court that the owner of the above listed property is directed to appear and plead to or answer the petition in the above styled case by the 15th day of October, 1998, or a judgment by default may be rendered by the Court and the money may be disposed of as ORDERED BY THE

DONE this the 5 day of August, Circuit Clerk 8-13-20,27;9-3chg

COFFEE COUNTY

WHEREAS, on March 3, 1994, Arcola B. Lashley, Sr. and wife, Lena E. Lashley, did execute and deliver to SouthTrust Bank of Covington County, N.A., a national banking association, a mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter described, which mortgage appears of record in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee

Pages 16-20, and, WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said Mortgage as provided herein, which default continued at this date and said Mortgage is subject to foreclosure. NOW, THEREFORE, three weeks notice is hereby given that

the undersigned will sell at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the courthouse doors, main entrance, in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on September 2, 1998, the real estate being more particularly described as lying and being situated in Coffee County, State of Alabama, to-wit: S1/2 of SE1/4; SE1/4 of the SW1/4; 17 acres on the East side of SW1/4 of SW1/4 on the East side of Pea River, all in Section 24, T4,

R19, containing 137 acres, more or less, including all improvements ALSO: Begin at the point where the East line of SW1/4 of NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E, intersects the North line of a County Road; thence run West along said North line of a County Road for a distance of 779 feet for the point of beginning of parcel herein conveyed; thence continue along said North line of County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run North at right angles to said County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence turn right angles and run East along a line parallel to above mentioned county road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run South a distance of 210

said Mortgage is subject to foreclofeet to point of beginning; said par-NOW, THEREFORE, three cel of land contains 1.0 acres, more weeks notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public outcry for cash, to the highest bidor less, and lies in the SE1/4 of NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E, Coffee County, Alabama. der, in front of the courthouse doors, main entrance, in Elba TRACT #3 Coffee County, Alabama, during the A lot or parcel of land in the legal hours of sale on September 2, 1998, the real estate being more SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4, Range 20 East, more particularly described as lying and being situated in Coffee County, particularly described as follows: Begin at the Southwest corner of State of Alabama, to-wit: SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4, Range 20 East; thence East 420 feet, thence North 630 feet, thence West 420 feet; thence

S1/2 of SE1/4; SE1/4 of the SW1/4; 17 acres on the East side of South 630 feet along section line to SW1/4 of SW1/4 on the East side of point of beginning, said lot contain-Pea River, all in Section 24, T4, ing 6 acres, more or less. R19, containing 137 acres, more or less, including all improvements

in and being a part of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 PARCEL II Begin at the point where the East line of SW1/4 of NW1/4, North, Range 20 Easit, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Section 30, T4N, R20E, intersects the North line of a County Road; Beginning at the Northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section thence run West along said North line of a County Road for a dis-tance of 779 feet for the point of 30. Township 4 North, Range 20 East, and running thence East along the North line of said forty a beginning of parcel herein conveyed; thence continue along said distance of 387 feet to a point; North line of County Road for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running due South a distance of 20 feet to the South line of thence run North at right angles to an unpaved County road and the said County Road for a distance of Northwest corner of the Arcola B. 210 feet to a point; thence turn Lashley and Lena B. Lashley lot, right angles and run East along a hence continuing due South 210 line parallel to above mentioned eet to a point; thence running East county road for a distance of 210 420 feet to a point on the West line feet to a point; thence run South a of the Bludsworth property; thence run due South along the West line distance of 210 feet to point of beginning, and including al of the Bludsworth property a disrements thereon; said parcel tance of 225 feet to a point; thence of land contains 1.0 acres, more or running due West a distance of 807 less, and lies in the SE1/4 of NW1/4, Section 30, T4N, R20E, feet to a point on the West line of said forty; and thence running North Coffee County, Alabama. along the West line of said forty a distance of 455 feet, more or less,

to the point of beginning.

TRACT #5

One lot or parcel of land contain-

ing two acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of NW 1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North,

Range 20 East, in Coffee County,

Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a point near the

northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4

North, Range 20 East, where the

East line of said forty is intersected

by the South line of an unpaved

county road; thence running in an

easterly direction along the South

side of said unpaved county road a distance of 387 feet to the point of

beginning of the parcel herein described; thence from said point of

beginning continuing in an easterly direction along the South line of

said unpaved county road a dis-

tance of 420 feet to a point, which

point is the Northwest corner of the

James Ronnie Davis lot; thence

running due South a distance of

210 feet to a point; thence running

in a westerly direction along a line

parallel with the South side of said

unpaved county road a distance of

420 feet to a point; and thence run-

ning due North a distance of 210

feet to the point of beginning. Said

parcel of land is bound on the

North by said unpaved county road

on the East by lands of James

Ronnie Davis, and on the South and

West by lands of Ida Kate D. Davis

Subject to easements, restric-

Said sale and conveyance will

also be made subject to the legal

rights of existing Federal Tax Liens,

and/or Special Assessments, if any,

which might adversely affect title to

Such sale will be made as provid-

ed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said

mortgage with interest thereon, any

amounts required to be paid for

taxes, insurance or other charges

provided in said mortgage, and the

easements, encumbrances, and

exceptions contained in said mort-

gage and those contained in the

records of the Office of the Judge of Probate where the above-

described property is situated. Said property will be sold without war-

ranty or recourse, expressed or implied as to title, use and/or enjoy-

ment, and will be sold subject to the

right of redemption of all parties

SOUTHTRUST BANK OF ALABA-

a national banking association

SOUTHTRUST BANK OF COV-

INGTON COUNTY, N.A.

PARNELL & CRUM, P.A.

Attorney for Mortgagee Post Office Box 2189

STATE OF ALABAMA

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

COFFEE COUNTY

BY: /s/ Charles N. Parnell, III

334/832-4200 8-13,20,27chg

Montgomery, Alabama 36102-

WHEREAS, on March 31, 1995.

Arcola B. Lashley, Sr. and wife, Lena E. Lashley, did execute and deliver to SouthTrust Bank of

Alabama, N.A., a national banking

association, a mortgage on certain real estate hereinafter described,

which mortgage appears of record in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Volume 125A, Pages 335-39, and, WHEREAS, default has been

made in the payment of said

Mortgage as provided herein, which

default continued at this date and

a reasonable attorney's fee.

tions, and reservations appearing of

and James Ronnie Davis.

PARCEL III A lot or parcel of land in the SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4, Range 20 East, more particularly described as follows: Begin at the Southwest corner of SW1/4 of the NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4, Range 20 East; thence East 420 feet, thence North 630 feet, thence West 420 feet; thence South 630 feet along section line to point of beginning, said lot containing 6 acres, more or less, including all improvements

PARCEL IV One lot or parcel of land containing six (6) acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, and running thence East along the North line of said forty a distance of 387 feet to a point; thence running due South a distance of 20 feet to the South line of an unpaved County road and the Northwest corner of the Arcola B. Lashley and Lena B. Lashley lot, thence continuing due South 210 feet to a point; thence running East 420 feet to a point on the West line of the Bludsworth property; thence run due South along the West line of the Bludsworth property a distance of 225 feet to a point; thence running due West a distance of 807 feet a point on the West line of said forty; and thence running North along the West line of said forty a

distance of 455 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, including all improvements thereon.

One lot or parcel of land containing two acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more expenses of foreclosure, including particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point near the Said property will be sold on an "as is, where is" basis subject to any northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, where the East line of said forty is intersected by the South line of an unpaved county road: thence running in an easterly direction along the South side of said unpaved county road a distance of 387 feet to the point of beginning of the parcel herein described; thence from said point of beginning continuing in an easterly direction along the South line of said unpaved county road a distance of 420 feet to a point, which point is the Northwest corner of the James Ronnie Davis lot; thence unning due South a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running in a westerly direction along a line parallel with the South side of said unpaved county road a distance of 420 feet to a point; and thence running due North a distance of 210 feet to the point of beginning, including all improvements thereon. Said parcel of land is bound on the North by said unpaved county

road, on the East by lands of Ida Kate Davis and James Ronnie Davis. PARCEL VI One lot or parcel of land containing 9 acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the W1/2 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: commencing at the northwest corner of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East and running thence South along the West line of said forty a distance of 715 feet to the southwest corner of a parcel of land belonging to Arcola Lashley and Lena E. Lashley, which is the point of beginning of the parcel herein described; thence from said point of beginning run East along the South line of said Lashley property a distance of 807 feet to a point; thence run South a distance of 486 feet to a point; thence run West 807 feet to a point on the West line of said forty; and thence run North along the west line of said forty a distance of 486 feet to the point of beginning, including all improvements thereon. Said parcel of land is bound on the North by other lands of Arcola Lashley

west line of said forty.

and Lena E. Lashley, the grantees herein, is bound on the East and South by other lands of James Ronnie Davis, the grantor herein, attorney's fee. and is bound on the West by the Subject to easements, restric-Peoples Bank of Coffee County tions, and reservations appearing

Said sale and conveyance will also be made subject to the legal rights of existing Federal Tax Liens. and/or Special Assessments, if any which might adversely affect title to subject property.

Such sale will be made as provided in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the debt secured by said mortgage with interest there-on, any amounts required to be paid for taxes, insurance or other

including a reasonable attorney's NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORE-CLOSURE SALE Said property will be sold on an "as is, where is" basis subject to any easements, encumbrances

Judge of Probate where the abovedescribed property is situated. Said Default having been made in the property will be sold without warranty or recourse, expressed or

payment of that certain mortgage uted by Henry M. Moody and Michelle L. Moody to Peoples Bank of Coffee County and filed and recorded in Mortgage Book 125A at page 58-59 on February 27, 1995 and in Official Records 8A at page 88-90 on April 15, 1996, in the Office of the Probate Judge, Coffee County, Elba Division, Alabama.
The undersigned owner of said
mortgage will, under and by virtue
of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, before the Coffee County Courthouse door in the City of Elba, Alabama, during the legal hours of said sale on August 27, 1998, the real property described in said mortgage which description is hereby referred to and made a part hereof, said prop-

erty being situated in Coffee County, Alabama, to-wit: PARCEL ONE: Eight and six/tenths (8.6) acres in the SE1/4 of SE1/4 of Section 22, T6N, R19E Coffee County, Alabama, being more particularly described as beginning at the NE corner of Section 27, T6N, R19E, thence roceed N 01-27-10 E a distance o 70.0 feet to the point of beginning ceed N 01-27-10 E a distance of N 886-52 W a distance of 698.14 feet to a point; thence pro ceed S 02-00E a distance of 570.0 to a point; thence proceed S 88-21 E a distance of 653.59 feet to

the point of beginning. Said described area containing 8.6

NOTE: Subject to an undivided

3/4 interest in minerals which has

been previously reserved by the

United States of America in its

deed to Cory Lee Crocker and

Bonnie Rushing Crocker, dated August 1, 1944, and recorded in

Deed Book 11A, Page 25, Probate

PARCEL TWO: A parcel of land

located in Section 27, T6N, R19E,

Coffee County, Alabama, and being

more particularly described as commencing at the NE corner of Section 27, T6N, R19E, Coffee

County, Alabama, and from said

point run North 01 degrees 27' 10" East along the East line of said

section a distance of 70.0 feet to a

set iron pipe and the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 88 degrees, 21' West a distance of 653.59 feet to a set iron pipe on the

East Right of Way of Coffee County

Road #360 (dirt road) thence

653.59 feet to a set iron pipe on the

East Right of Way of Coffee County Road #360 (dirt road); thence

South 01 degrees 33' West along

the East side of said road a dis-

tance of 337.90 feet to a set iron

pipe; thence South 82 degrees 56 07" East a distance of 657.30 fee

to a set iron pipe; thence North 01 degrees 27' 10" East a distance of 400.0 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. Said land being

located in the NE1/4 of the NE 1/4

of the above mentioned section

and containing 5.50 acres LESS AND EXCEPT that strip of land

lying to the East of that certain

fence running North and South and approximately twenty (20') West of the East line of the above

This sale will be made for the

purpose of realizing the mortgage

debt, together with all expenses of

this sale, including a reasonable

/s/ DEBBIE LINDSEY JARED

Post Office Box 358 Elba, Alabama 36323 (334) 897-3507 8-6,13,20chg

TOLBERT MARTIN SUMBLIN

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of

July, 1998, by the Hon. William O.

Gammill Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is

hereby given that all persons hav-

ing claims against said estate are

nereby required to present the

same within time allowed by law or

SERVICE

AVAILABLE

AT

THE ELBA

CLIPPER

the same will be barred.
/s/ GARY TIMOTHY (TIM) SUM-BLIN 8 /6-13-20chg

PROBATE COURT

PC-98-54

Attorney for The Peoples Bank Jared & Brunson

Dated this the 4th day of August,

described property.

attorney's fee.

Office, Coffee County, Alabama.

acres, more or less.

edness secured by said Mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said Mortgage and said NOW, THEREFORE, Peoples Bank of Coffee County, the owner of said Mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, at 3:00 o'clock P.M. on Thursday, September 3, 1998, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, Coffee County, in the City of Elba. Alabama, the real estate embraced in said Mortgage described as fol-

The NW1/4 of NE1/4, the S1/2 of NE1/4, the W1/2 of NE1/4 of NE1/4, and the SE1/4 of NW1/4, of Section 25; all in Township 4 North, Range 19 East. LESS AND EXCEPT that portion of the Arcola Lashley, Jr. and Cynthia Lashley, husband and wife, lot which lies within the bounds of the W1/2 of NE1/4 of NE1/4 of said Section 25 more particularly described as follows: "A parcel of land containing 2 and one-half acres, more or less, situated in the NE1/4 of NE1/4 of Section 25, Township 4 North, Range 19 East, and being more particularly described as follows: commencing at the southeast cor-ner of the NE1/4 of NE1/4 of Section 25, and running thence West along the south line of said forty a distance of 420 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue West along said forty line for 420 feet; thence North 320 feet; thence East 420 feet; and thence South

thereof, will be made subject to any existing Federal tax liens, if any, and/or special assessments, if any, which might adversely affect the title to subject property. Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the Mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable

This 10h day of August, 1998.

LEGAL NOTICE Notice needs to be given that Caldwell Tanks, Inc., 4000 Tower Road, Louisville, KY 40219 has completed all work on TABERNA LE-CLINTONVILLE WATER THORITY CONTRACT II. AII persons having any claim for labor, materials or otherwise in connec tion with this project should immediately notify the above named tractor and DAVID G. HICKS DAVID HICKS & ASSOCI-ATES in Abbeville, Alabama. 7-30;8-6,13,20chg

STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF COFFEE

implied as to title, use and/or enjoyment, and will be sold subject to the right of redemption of all parties SOUTHTRUST BANK ALABAMA, N.A., national banking PARNELL & CRUM, P.A. BY: /s/ Charles N. Parnell, III Attorney for Mortgagee Post Office Box 2189 tgomery, Alabama 36102-

334/832-4200 8-13,20,27chg STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF COFFEE

entitled hereto.

charges provided in said mortgage.

and the expenses of foreclosure

and exceptions contained in said

mortgage and those contained in the records of the Office of the

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORE-CLOSURE SALE WHEREAS, Arcola Lashley, Sr. and Lena Lashley, husband and wife, executed to The Peoples Bank of Coffee County, on the 6th day of February, 1995, a Mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said Mortgage being recorded in Official Record Book 13A, Page 326 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County at Elba, Alabama;

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtdefault continuing

320 feet to the point of beginning."
TRACT NO. 2 One lot or parcel of land containing 3 acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the SW1/4 of NW1/4 of Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: commence at the point where the east line of the SW1/4 of NW1/4 of

Section 30, Township 4 North, Range 20 East, intersects the north line of a county road; thence run West along the north line of said county road a distance of 569 feet to the point of beginning of the par-cel herein described; thence from said point of beginning continue along said north line of the county road for a distance of 210 feet to the southeast corner of a parcel of land belonging to Lena E. Lashley; thence run North at right angles to said county road (and along the east line of said Lena Lashley lot) for a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run West along the north line of said Lena Lashley lot a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence run North 210 feet to a point; thence run East parallel with said road a distance of 420 feet to a point; and thence run South 420 feet to the point of beginning on the north right of way line of said coun-NOTE: Said sale, and any conveyance made in consummation

The Owner of Said Mortgage

Packing Nutritous \_unches

COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

BUNA LEE W. WRIGHT, **CASE NO. PC-98-58** Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

the undersigned on the 12th day of August, 1998, by the Honorable William 0. Gammill, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, TO: Al Atmore, Vandel Atmore, and all others having any interest or claim in the estate of Earl Atmore, notice is hereby given that all per-PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on sons having claims against said August 9th, 1998 Vera Atmore filed estate are hereby required to pren this Court her sworn Petition For sent the same within time allowed Probate Of Will seeking to have admitted to probate the Last Will by law or the same will be barred. /s/Paula W. Bryan And Testament of Earl Atmore who Personal Representative deceased December 10, 1995 a 8-20,27;9-3chg resident citizen of this County. The Court has scheduled this matter for Senior Citizens hearing in the Coffee County Courthouse at Elba, Alabama of September 10, 1998 at 10:00 A.M. The heirs and beneficiaries of this estate named above

MORE LEGALS

DATED this 12th day of August /s/ William 0. Gammill Probate Judge

and all others having an interest or

claim in said estate are invited to

FORECLOSURE NOTICE Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness described in and secured by that certain mortgage executed by Leslie D. Cameron and wife, Annette Cameron to Secretary of Veterans Affairs, an Officer of the zens. United States of America dated the 26th day of August, 1994, and recorded in Book 324, page 128 of the records in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Coffee County, Alabama, which said mortrgage was subsequently assigned to Bankers Trust Company of California, N.A., not in its individual capacity but solely as trustee, or its permitted successors and assigns, on behalf of Vendee Mortgage Trust 1995-1 by instrument recorded i

Misc. Book 72, Page 105 of said Probate Court records, notice is hereby given that the undersigned as holder of said mortgage wi under power of sale contained in said mortgage, sell at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder, du or cash to the highest bloder, dulday of September, 1998, at the front door of the Courthouse Coffee County, Alabama, 230 Court St., Elba, AL 36323, the following described real property in the county of Coffee, State of of the month. She is a telecommu-

Alabama, being the same property described in the above referred to Lot 5, Block E, of Seventh Addition to Valley Hills Subdivision, Selection was based on the indias recorded in Plat Book 2, page 135, Probate Office, Enterprise, Coffee County, Alabama, LESS mance, job knowledge, leadership AND EXCEPT the following qualities significant self-improvedescribed parcel of land: A triangular shape parcel of land, lying on the west side of Lot 5, Block E in Robinson is the daughter of the Seventh Addition to Valley Hills Subdivision, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Lot 5, Block E; thence S3 degrees-07' W along said Lot 5, Block E, for a distance of 195.7 feet to the Southwest Corner of said lot 5; thence N89 degrees-44' E along the south boundary of said Lot 5 for a distance of 18.0 feet; thence N2 degrees-08' W for a distance of 196.2 feet to the Point of Beginning. Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the said indebtedness

and the expenses incident to this sale, including a reasonable attor ney's fee. BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A., not in its individual capacity but solely as trustee, or its permitted successors and assigns, on behalf of Vendee Mortgage Trust

Holder of said Mortgage. Beth McFadden Rouse McFADDEN, LYON & ROUSE, 718 Downtowner Boulevard Mobile, Alabama 36609 8-20,27;9-3

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of Fieri Facis issued out of the Circuit Civil Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgement recently obtained against Phillip Pope in favor of James Calvin Catrett Trust, et al c/o Charles Matthew Brunso (CV-97-158), out of the good the said Philip Pope, I have levied on the following property to-wit: 1 - 1991 Chevrolet Cheyenne

truck, white in color, VIN: 1GCGC24KOME198990, tag #19AM408 Therefore, according to sai command, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest in and to the above described property on Monday, the 31st day of August, 1998 at 1:30 p.m. at the courthouse door in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama. This vehicle may be inspected a the Coffee County Sheriff's Department, New Brockton Monday-Friday from 8-12 and 1-5. Dated this 17th day of August, s/ BENJAMIN M. "Ben"

MOATES 8-20chg

by Susan Taylor

Extension Agent/NEP Lots of people take their lunch to work or school. Whether you do so for convenience or to save money, remember a few guidelines to guarantee your lunch is tasty and nutritious. First, choose a variety of foods

from the major food groups. Keep calories in mind. Fats and sugars can add more calories quickly. Also, when packing a lunch, limit high-fat foods such as mayonnaise, and choose low-sodium foods such as fruits, vegetables, lean meat and poultry. Be creative - to help avoid boredom. If you usually include a

sandwich, use other kinds of bread

such as pita bread or bagels some-

times instead of regular loaf bread.

Instead of the same old lettuce or

tomato in your sandwich, experi-

ment with other low-fat, low-calo-

rie add-ons. Try sprouts, cucum-

If you have access to a

nicrowave and/or a refrigerator,

hot lunches can break the monoto-

ny of sandwich lunches. For exam-

can be frozen in a lunch-size freez-

microwaved for lunch. Other ideas

for hot meals are spaghetti, maca-

pasta salads or vegetables marinat-

ed in herb salad dressing are also

ple, single servings of leftovers

container and can be

bers, onions, apples, pineapple or

shredded carrots.

to be honored at ceremony

The Alabama Senior Citizens Hall of Fame will have its annual Awards and Induction Ceremony on Sunday, Sept. 27, at 1:30 p.m. at the Montgomery Civic Center in Montgomery.

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Elba include: Honorary Award — Mr. Lloyd Crook and Mrs. Louise Hornsby.

Robinson named soldier

Army Spec. Tawaina Robinson

has been named battalion soldier nications operator assigned to the 349th Signal Company at Torii Selection was based on the individual's exemplary duty perforqualities, significant self-improvement and other accomplishments. Masey D. Neal of Rt. 2, Brundidge, and a 1993 graduate of Zion Chapel High School. Her husband, Marine Sgt. Michael L

Robinson, is the son of Ella B.

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VIEWS

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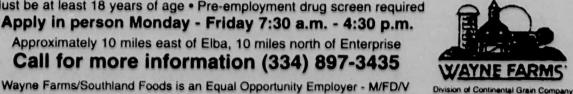
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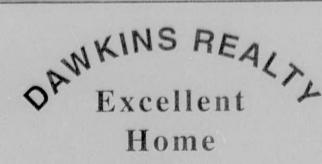
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DA asking for help

The District Attorney's Office in

neighboring Covington County is

asking for help from area residents

in recovering items taken in a

recent Covington County burglary.

An Andalusia resident, Paula

Annette Coleman, 31, has been

arrested for the July 29, 1998,bur-

glary and theft that occurred at the

residence of Jan and Marc

Coleman is charged with taking

several items of jewelry, clothing,

and personal items having a com-

bined value of over \$42,000,00. At

employed as the McIntyres' maid

and was the only person who had

When the theft was discovered,

the Covington County Sheriff's

Department was notified. Sheriff's

investigators and officers with the

Red Level Police Department ques-

tioned Coleman and she admitted

to taking the property form the

McIntyres. Several of the stolen

items were recovered from

At this time, several of the stolen

items of jewelry have not been

recovered. In particular, the follow-

\*One (1) 2 carat diamond band consisting of 5 rows of roundcut

\*One (1) 2 carat round diamond

\*One (1) platinum and gold wedding band consisting of a gold

stripe on each edge and a platinum

band in between decorated with

designs
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Coleman's residence.

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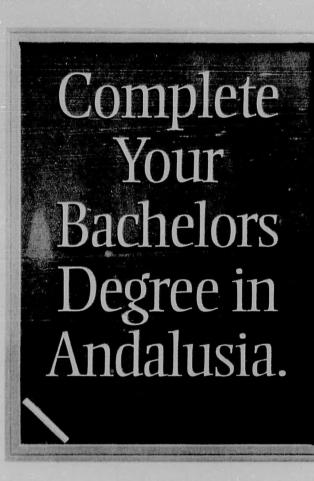
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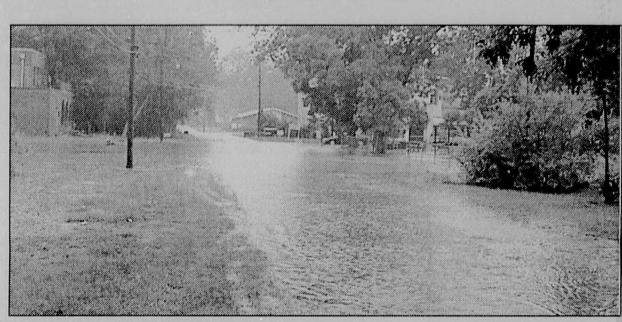
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Moore Street...Looking south behind The Peoples Bank



Claxton Ave. - Davis St. intersection...A police car was stationed at this intersection to slow motorists down coming through deep water



Putnam Street...Looking west in front of the old Coffee County Jail



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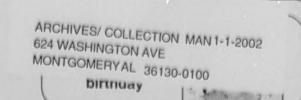
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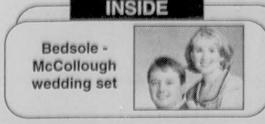
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### Elba's buy-out meeting failed to give any solutions to problem

group of interested people, but tions require receipts that flood followed. failed to give many the solutions insurance money was spent on Meeting attendees were given a

this adds to the frustrations of flood mium, he should have been able to in Phase I of the program.

On Monday night of this week the

Elba City Council made two board

service, but it will also be helpful

house repairs. If the funds were not form to fill out if they want to par-The amount of money available at put back into the house, or receipts ticipate in the Hazard Mitigation

this time for buy-outs, elevation are not available, this amount will Program (or buy-out). These very and/or house moving is limited. The be deducted from any buy-out set- simple completed forms must be federal grants are limited and slow tlement. One man said he felt that returned to the Elba City Hall within reaching places such as Elba and since he had paid the insurance pre- in the next two weeks to be included victims. Many expressed these con- do with it whatever he pleased, Any citizen not at the meeting cerns and criticisms of the federal without it having any affect on buy- who feels they qualify under this

> required reserves, and to operate Two others set the rates for and maintain the systems."

tions and denied two legal claims step in getting prepared for E-911 when there are disputes on what 3,000 gallons. The next 7,000 gal- Morrow that one had been cleaned was said by a caller or a police offi-lons residential usage will cost this week. Gray recommended \$1.10 per thousand with no addi- another one which needed work and

tional sewerage charge after that was told it was on the list for work that the airport authority terms of will expire soon and both men have term if it was the council's wishes. The council voted unanimously to \$1.20 per 1,000 gallons, with no arrest. Kelley recommended the

FIREMEN RESPOND to a fire alarm at the Elba General Hospital and

CEC's automated outage system

It's every electrical cooperative's told us of the frustration, and we've

Thunderstorms rumble through "Our automated outage system

and leave hundreds of consumers provides a quick and easy way for

without power. The cooperative our customers to report outages. We

switchboard lights up, and there can handle up to 48 calls at one time

aren't enough phone lines to handle so the number of busy signals is

results are frustrated consumers and "In addition, by matching phone

But Covington Electric we can easily identify and isolate

Cooperative is making reporting outage areas and quickly get crews

Covington Electric Cooperative "Finally, recorded messages

now has an automated outage sys- advise our comers of outage areas

tem which makes reporting power that have already been reported,"

phone. Consumers simply dial 1- The automated outage system at

800-239-1193. They will be Covington Electric Cooperative has

number, including area code. Then "We have been very pleased with

they simply follow the operator's its operation," said Short. "This

nstructions, according to CEC summer provided a test for the sys-

"We work very hard to minimize thunderstorms and subsequent

power outages but they sometimes power outages, and it worked well.

occur, and when they do they're We anticipate its value will also be

inconvenient," said Short. "When demonstrated this winter with the

the power goes off, it doesn't take possibility of freezing rain, ice and

Our members who cannot get Please See CEC, Page 15

prompted to verify their phone been in operation since February.

power outages as easy as 1-2-3. in the field to correct problems.

numbers with account information

the incoming calls. Oftentimes the substantially reduced.

outages as easy as dialing a tele- said Short.

Grimes also presented the council

pital nor residents of the nursing home.

nightmare - a thunderstorm.

extended power outages.

General manager Ed Short.

long for our switchboard to light up.

through to report their outages have

City council sets new sewerage rates by Ferrin Cox, Publisher tem if it comes within 150 feet of "provide sufficient income to meet the building and is reasonable debt service of the loan, to maintain

sewage. Residential and commer- The city can't adjust these new surplus, passed sewer rate resolu- cial rates will increase when the rates up or down without written new system is complete and in oper- consent of Rural Development, the ation for one month, probably in the federal agency which administers year 2000. Residential rates for the rural utilities services loans. place on all radio channels and tele-first 3,000 gallons will go from Councilman Winzel Gray asked if phones. He explained this is another \$6.00 to \$8.00, with an additional the city would be cleaning any \$2.00 for each 1,000 gallons of drainage ditches in the near future. water used thereafter, up to another He was told by City Clerk Donnie

within the next few days. Paul Morrow and James Ross Poole Commercial rates will increase City Attorney Jeff Kelley reportfrom the same \$6.00 minimum to ed two claims against the city. One agreed to serve another six- year \$14.00 for the first 3,000 gallons. was by two men and was against the Additional usage will be billed at police department for wrongful

council deny the claims, which they These increases were required by did. with three resolutions relating to the with three resolutions relating to the federal guidelines to qualify Elba The second claim was a claim by upcoming \$4.2 million sewer for the \$2,279,000.00 loan to Charles Byron Stinson as the results makes it mandatory for homes and upgrade the sewer system. The of the March 8th flood. Kelley also

recommended this claim be denied, which the council did. attorney said both these ave been referred to the city's insurance carrier and he is working closely with them to docu-

ment the facts in the cases.

anyone to the program. A property available, other residents will be cations.

out. While there were a lot of agree- first phase can still pick up a copy of owner can withdraw the home right offered an opportunity to participate Another rule which irritated sev- ing nods, he was reminded that the the simple form at city hall, fill it out up to the deed signing day. in the program(s) and efforts will be The flood buy-out meeting held eral flood victims deals with flood rules are made in Washington and to and be included. Turning in the Those in attendance were told that made to notify all eligible citizens of Tuesday night attracted a large insurance payments. FEMA regula- get any federal funds, they must be completed form does not obligate as additional federal funds become the availability of the new fund allo-

before 5:00 p.m. Friday afternoon 34, of Kinston, AL was killed f earth moving equipment (a pan) e was operating.

ebuilding a dam belonging to evan Smith if the Friendship mmunity west of Danley rossroads. The dam broke during he March '98 flood and the contruction crew was in the process f reconstructing the earthen dam. Shortly, before knocking off for of the dozier service, and another employee, Donny Russell, were Carnley was working preparing to patched to the scene.

Kinston man killed in construction accident

#### by Marvin MclLwain, Editor A construction accident shortly

laimed the life of a Kinston man. George Michael Carnley, age when he was thrown off the piece The company he was working

or, Chamblee Dozier Service, was

rapped underneath the piece of the victim.

shut down their equipment. Upon arriving at the scene, res- the edge of the dam causing it to Chamblee noticed that Carnley cue personnel began preparing slide off down the steep embankhad not completed his last round Carnley for transport to the nearest ment and overturn. and also he didn't hear the pan medical facility. Chamblee and Chamblee stated that Carnley

rom Elba. The Elba Rescue Squad cause of death. A preliminary investigation at

he day, Royce Chamblee, owner Rescue workers prepare to transport Carnley to the hopsital while still performing CPR

cross the dam from where and fire department were dis- the scene of the tragedy indicated

ving. He stated that he looked Russell had gotten Carnley free had only been working for him a across the dam and saw the piece and were were already in the few day, He also noted that he had of equipment lying on its side. process of performing CPR (car- been observing him as the operat-Chamblee and Russell made diopulmonary resuscitation) on ed the piece of equipment and he heir way across the dam to the him. Elba firemen assisted rescue really seem to know what he was overturned pan and found Carnley personnel in administering aid to doing and was doping it safely.

quipment. They ran back and got Carnley was taken to Elba for more than twenty years and nother piece of equipment, an General Hospital where he died I've never had a serious injury," excavator, and used it to lift the shortly after arriving. He had sus- said Chamblee. oan off Carnley enough to free tained severe crushing injuries in The incident was investigated

In the meantime, Mr. Smith had The victim's body was taken to Sheriff Dale Grimes, Coffee been alerted to the situation and he Dothan where an autopsy was to County Coroner Marvin ad dialed 911 and summons help be performed to determine the McIlwain, and the Alabama Department of Forensic Science.

### County Commission hears from Co. Rd. 258 again

by Marvin MclLwain, Editor

The Coffee County Commission held its evening session last Monday evening for the benefit of the "work-Nursing Home last week. The damage was confined an electrical trans- ing people;" however, they did not former and was quickly gotten under control. The electrical department cut seem to want to take advantage of the flow of electricity to the unit and firemen handled the problem from that the convenience and show up. Commissioners worked through a point. The repairs were made within 24 hours and everything was back to relatively short agenda completing

normal. At no time was there any immidate danger to patients of the hostheir task in just over an hour. Once again, Co. Rd. 258 was on the agenda. This time, Charles Ellison questioned the commission concerning the status of the road and if a petition signed by the residents living on the road had been

ty engineer for review.

er, Tindell told Mr. Ellison that run off everywhere!" in the July meeting.

told Mr. Ellison that he had looked that the county fully intended to fix his cousin, Blake Foley, were conover the petition and that it stated the road but that paving was not sidering starting an antique auction things that went beyond what was being considered at this time. discussed by the commissioners and When the word "ditches" was it. Foley told commissioners they James Sims in the July 26th meet- mentioned in connection with cor- had the best place around - the old Tindell said that the petition spoke the road, Ellison said, "Don't want Auditorium. He then asked if they

paving of the road was not discussed After a few minutes more of dis-week. additional right-of-way and would next couple of weeks.

Area Happenings

AREA FOOTBALL Area high school football games scheduled

for Thursday (TONIGHT) are as follows: Elba plays Brantley in Elba;

and Kinston travels to Ariton; Games set for Friday night include: New

Brockton travels to Luverne while Zion Chapel is on the road against

CANDIDATE FAIR SCHEDULED The Coffee County Republicans

invite the public to a "Candidate Fair" Thursday, September 3, 1998,

from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Enterprise Civic Center on Crawford

Avenue in Enterprise. This is an informal neet-the-candidates gathering.

RED CROSS MEETING The Elba Chapter of the American Red Cross

will meet on Wednesday, September 2, in the conference room at the Elba

Elementary School at 7:00 p.m. All members are urged to attend and

prospective members are invited to attend this very important meeting.

All state-wide and local Republican candidates have been invited.

Thorsby. All games, unless otherwise noted, start at 7:30 p.m.

additional right-of-way.

over before making a recommenda- East/West Corridor.

and \$3,760 for annual maintenance. endeavor.

VIETNAM VETS MEET The Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 373 will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, September 3, at the Donald Foley appeared before the Turning to general business, com-Clayhatchee Community building. The meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. All commission and prefaced his veterans and their families are invited to attend. For more information clean, my ditches are good, and the

received and was given to the coun- not mention deeding the county any roads are good so I'm not complain-

Randall Tindell, county engineer, Commissioner Lewis commented He told commissioners that he and recting the drainage problem along New Hope Junior High School of making the road into a one-lane- no ditches! Ditches cause problems would consider renting the facility one-way road and paving it; howev- down there. We want it [water] to to him and his cousin possibly two nights - Tuesday and Saturday - a

cussion, Tindell told Ellison, and the Commissioner Lewis told Foley The engineer went on to explain commissioners, that crews should be that they would consider his request that paving the road would require able to work on the road within the and that he would let him know their

Commissioner Kayo Lewis told also bring into play other considera- "Hopefully, we can build up the The next topic of discussion was tions. Those signing the petition did low side of the road and cause the El Camino East/West water to spread out before it reaches 

Corridor. This consists of a complete Ellison's property," said Tindell. four-lane traffic corridor across five The next order of business was the southern states. Locally, this corriopening of bids for an imaging sys- dor travels along U.S. Hwy. 84 tem for the probate office and finan- between Enterprise, New Brockton,

cial software for the commission Elba and Coffee County. Dale Townsend, representing the Commissioners tabled the lone Elba and Enterprise Chambers of bid on the probate office's imaging Commerce, requested that the comsystem in order to allow Probate mission join the chambers passing a Judge William A. Gammill to look it resolution supporting the El Carnino

The resolution states that the The only bid meeting the bid development of this improved infrarequest for the financial manage- structure will ensure businesses a ment software for the commission greater opportunity to succeed and office was submitted by the Data citizens better travel in Coffee Base Systems Corporation. Their County. It also asked that the Coffee bid was \$14,775.00 for the software, County commissioners continue \$7,950 for installation and training, their monetary support of this

This bid was also tabled for fur- The commissioners passed a resother review by commission office lution in support of the two Chambers of Commerce.

request by stating, "My driveway is Please See CCC, Page 15